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JACK ANDERSON SAYS: Hanoi, Viet Cong systematically slaughter civilians; North Vietnam boasts of killing women nd children; press plays up songmy, almost ignores cong murders.

Senate Gives Foundations Tax Reprieve

WASHINGTON (AP) — The Senate voted overwhelmingly today to eliminate from the tax reform bill a provision that would have ended the tax exemption privilege for private foundations after 40 years. Opponents had called the provision "a death sentence" for the foundations.

The action came before the Senate was set to consider adding an amendment to the bill to increase Social Security benefits Jan. 1 by 15 per cent—an action a ranking Republican senator said would increase the chances of a presidential veto of the entire bill.

The Finance Committee had approved the foundation provision after hearing testimony that hundreds of foundations had been set up for tax evasion purposes.

Sen. John O. Pastore, D-R.I., arguing to eliminate the provision, said, "If you keep this you're going to destroy something hat is fine and noble in America."

"Don't burn down the barn just to get one mouse," he shouted.

But Sen. Albert Gore, DTenn., a principal author of the provision, said the committee had found "the great majority of these foundations were set up for purposes of tax avoidance."

Many of them, he argued pay little or nothing in charitable and educational benefits.

Before the 69-18 vote on the foundations, acting Senate GOP Leader Robert P. Griffin told newsmen he "wouldn't bet against" a presidential veto if the Social Security increase were added to the bill.

Sen. Russell B. Long, D-La., chairman of Finance, said there was no question the Senate would approve the Social Security rider.

Long and Sen. Albert Gore, D-Tenn., chief sponsors of the amendment said they were convinced this procedure was the best way to assure passage of the Social Security boost before the 1969 session ends.

The rider is identical to the Social Security bill approved Wednesday by the House Ways and Means Committee.

Sponsors of that measure hope to get it passed in the House by next Thursday. But they were understood to have agreed it could be handled as an amendment to the tax bill rather than as separate legislation.

The amendment to delete the 40-year limit on the life of foundations was sponsored by Sen. Walter F. Mondale, D-Minn., who said the provision amounted to "a death sentence for all existing private foundations by 2010.

"The 40-year rule makes no distinction between foundations which have made vital contributions to the nation and to our society and those which serve individuals as tax shelters only," he declared.

But Gore, one of the authors of the limitation, answered that "this is no death sentence."

"It is time we put some reasonable limit on this tax exemption," he said.

Long agreed and said that future congresses could extend the life of foundations doing good.

The Senate continued to add to the revenue losses of the massive tax bill Thursday.

It adopted 46-41 an amendment of Sen. George Murphy, R-Calif., to restore full deduction of medical expenses of persons 65 and over and of such expenses paid by children for dependent parents 65 and over.

Since 1965, old persons have had the same deductions in this area as all others.

Long said the amendment would cost $225 million a year and would benefit chiefly old persons in high income brackets.

The Senate has voted previously for similar amendments, but they have been rejected by the House in conference.

Second Audience More Responsive To Urban Renewal Program

City officials fielded questions and objections last night on urban renewal at a meeting attended by 100 at the Sixth Street General Baptist church.

A few made antagonistic remarks.

For the most part, the audience appeared to be responsive.

This was the second informational meeting held on the subject. More hostile comments were heard at the first session in Sunset Addition.

Officials at the meeting were City Manager W. Raymert Miller, Mayor Arthur Ziegenhorn and Housing Director Bill Hanna.

Following the meeting, Miller spoke optimistically.

"A good and informative meeting," he said. "I believe the people are now beginning to get an understanding about this issue."

The city manager said he is more optimistic about the prospects for approval in Tuesday's election on the issue.

Miller opened the meeting by explaining that although Tuesday's vote may be favorable it does not guarantee any area in Sikeston would be eligible for urban renewal.

He said approval would make the city elegible for federal funds to be used in preparing a plan to determine if any area in Sikeston needs redevelopment. Areas probably most likely eligible for urban renewal would be Sunest and Smith additions.

Hahha went into the mechanics of urban renewal and explained if it is approved Tuesday the city council would appoint a five-man commission to study and recommend areas for redevelopment. After area designation, 20 persons from that area would comprise an advisory board that would in turn hire a consultant to develop a redevelopment plan. Hanna emphasized that urban renewal is a long-term project and that planning phase alone could take two or three years to complete. He said sewers and streets would be included in plans.

After completion of plans, the city council would have the authority to approve or reject proposals. If the council should approve a plan, the plan would then be subject to federal approval.

Miller and Hanna both said it is unfortunate that feasibility plans of possible urban renewal areas could not be made prior to Tuesday's election. They feel this would allow people on opportunity to know more of what urban renewal actually consists of.

Miller said the history of urban renewal has been such that people tend to feel the program is something "thrown down their throats." He explained the program has been redesigned during the past three years in such a way that removes this possibility. He explained urban renewal is a tool with which to "upgrade and improve areas" and it would have an effect on the entire populace of Sikeston, particularly those persons who need improved living conditions.

Hanna related it would not be hard to sell urban renewal to people if plans for redevelopment could be formulated prior to an election.

He assured the citizens there are "built-in guarantees" in urban renewal that assure "no one will suffer financially."

Hanna said the only losses possible would be those "sentimental in nature." There would be two independent appraisals, Hanna explained, on property cited for redevelopment to meet standard housing codes. Should a property owner be dissatisfied with appraisals, the persons would be allowed a cost - free court appeal. The court in turn would appoint referees to determine whether the appraisals are fair.

Hanna pointed out, that out of 3,000 property owners involved in urban renewal in Jefferson City, only 20 took cases to court "and urban renewal is the same nationwide."

Hanna continued:

"Say a person has a home valued at $6,000 and has to be replaced. If the property owner is required to build another home that would cost $10,000 and the person is in the low or moderate income bracket, that person could qualify for up to a $5,000 grant that would not have to be paid back."

Following this statement, a small elderly woman in the back of the room commented:

"Now that could be very interesting."

Hanna explained that costs above the $5,000 available would be allotted at a three per cent interest rate. He said up to $1,500 is available for low and moderate income persons for repairs necessary bo bring houses to acceptable standards. Anything above $1,500 also would have a three per cent interest rate.

Hanna said commercial properties are the same as residential in that the business owners would be paid for moving.

Regarding lot frontage, it was explained this would be determined in the plan. It has been noted in the past that lots should not have less than 50-foot frontage area.

Another inportant point, Hanna said, is a relocation plan for persons that is subject to federal approval. Federal relocation plan requirements are stringent, Hanna said, and "the interest of the people comes first."



CITY MANAGER W. RAYMERT MILLER explains urban renewal at a meeting Thursday night at the Sixth Street General Baptist church. Housing Director Bill Hanna is seated at the left.



MAYOR LLOYD HOGAN of East Prairie at his desk.

City Needs to Help Old And Young; Mayor Says

EAST PRAIRIE -- Care for the elderly and meeting the needs of the young are worthy community goals, Lloyd Hogan, who has been serving as mayor under the city council - city manager form of government since August, said.

In answer to a question about the needs of a community"?, he said:

"I feel the basic needs for any community are to provide a safe, secure place for the elderly, provide decent housing, adequate water and sewer systems, and the community should challenge the younger generation that is a sense that it could provide a place for many of them."

When asked what he considered the present and future needs of the East Prairie community he replied:

"I would say the very present need of our community is an improved water system and a curb and guttering program that would take care of the open ditches and standing water in our streets. It is imperative that we improve our water system with a filtering system to be able to raise our standards to state specifications. Looking to the future we definitely need to plan an industrial program that could be time create jobs and futures for more of our community.

"Do I feel that East Prairie facilities are meeting today's needs?

Truthfully, No. We are getting by with our basic needs but the needs of all the people in the community are not being met. We still have not put sewers into First, Second and Third streets, neither are we in a position to annex valuable property.

What has been East Prairie's biggest step forward in the past few months?

"I believe that the activity and involvement of as many people in the last three or four electins has been a big step forward for East Prairie. Mainly, the one particular thing I believe, has been our decision to move from mayor - council to a council - manager form of city government has been the biggest

As an interim measure only all present food programs should be reformed and expanded, said the statement. This will be part of hundreds of recommendations to the President on virtually every conceivable aspect of food, nutrition and health.

The statement also cited what many antihunger crusaders consider congressional obstruction. All food programs should be switched from the Agriculture Department to the Department of Health, Education and Welfare with corresponding shifts in congressional committee responsibilities, it said.

The President's conference chairman, Dr. Jean Mayer, said there was "an escalation of concern for the poor" at the conference, and "I am perfectly satisfied with the results."

Before the conference closed, Mayer said the President had decided to give priority to establishing food stamps in 307 U.S. counties without them and upping the allowable purchasing power of food stamps from the current $65 to $106 a month for a family of four.

Caucuses of blacks, Puerto Ricans, Appalachian whites, Indians and Mexican-Americans said the President's action was not enough, that free food stamps should be given to all the poor immediately. They doubted the President had existing legal power to expand food stamps and said the Agriculture Department already announced the increased allowance.

At the close of the general conference session a poor group coalition said the conference remained in order and would do so until the President made free food stamps available.

But the delegates left the coalition with a group of some 20 people milling in the lobby of the conference hotel.

In a windup speech, Sen. Walter Mondale, D-Minn., told the delegates "We have flattered the hungry with everything except food."

"Surely if we can respond to victims of hurricanes, we can respond to the victims of hunger," the senator said.

Colleges Protest Slashes

JEFFERSON CITY (AP) — One after another, spokesmen for Missouri's universities and colleges asked Thursday for restoration of their full budget requests for the 1970-71 fiscal year.

Gov. Warren E. Hearnes, hearing the appeals, said his recommendations could not be increased anywhere near the request levels until new revenue is found.

He reminded the spokesmen that only two of the 16 representatives from state college towns voted for his income tax bill last September.

The income tax increase now is in trouble, believed headed for a referendum test by the voters next year. Hearnes told the college spokesmen they better inform the public back home about their money needs for the colleges.

Presidents of the five state colleges said if the full request amounts aren't restored they feared they would lose good faculty members and be unable to recruit others.

Dr. Walter C. Daniels, presiden of once all Negro Lincoln University in Jefferson City, said he had the added problem of having schools from all over the country try to entice away his qualified Negro faculty members.

Dr. George A. Ulett, director of the Mental Health Division, said the entire mental health program was being jeopardized but his particular concern was the nursing home placement program. Under it custodial patiens are cared for in nursing homes, thus freeing mental hospital facilities for treating curable mental patients.

He asked restoration of the full $6,677,500 requested for that purpose. Hearnes has recommended $4,080,000.

NATO Calls For Troop Cut Talks

BRUSSELS (AP) — Fourteen foreign ministers of the North Atlantic Alliance agreed today to challenge the Soviet bloc to discuss mutual troop reductions as a demonstration that the Communists are really serious in proposing a European security conference.

France was reported holding aloof because it is not part of the North Atlantic Treaty Organization's unified military command. The French government believes, therefore, that it can have no part in a program of NATO-Warsaw Pact troop reductions.

The decision to renew the 18 month-old offer to talk troop reductions emerged at the windup session of the NATO Council of Foreign Ministers. The ministers were completing a joint declaration on East-West relations and on the Soviet bloc call for a Pan-European security conference in the next six months.

Foreign Minister Maurice Schumann of France also objected to a West German proposal that the alliance reject the Soviet bloc demand at its Moscow summit meeting Thursday for international recognition of the East German regime. Schumann said such a rejection would imply acceptance of the principle of negotiations between two blocs, and France opposes the division of Europe into blocs.

Hunger Conference Delegates Ask More

WASHINGTON (AP) — President Nixon's White House hunger conference has told him in effect what has been done for the nation's hungry is not enough and what should be done should be done now.

The 3,000 delegates from all walks of life shouted acceptance of a statement calling on Nixon to declare a national hunger emergency, the government to guarantee an annual income floor of $5,500 and free lunch and breakfast programs for poor children.

A delegation of six participants planned to meet with the President today to stress the concern of the conference.

"There is a hunger and malnutrition emergency in this country today," the conference statement said Thursday. "Therefore, the Presiden must immediately declare that a national hunger emergency exists, and under existing authority must now free funds and implement programs to feed all hungry Americans this winter," the statement said. single step we have made in the past few months. In regards to the workable program that has been approved for East Prairie if we, or should I say, when we understand to the fullest what this means to us, I am sure this will be considered a great step. The first thing that was brought about by the completion of our workable program was, of course, our public housing or low - rent housing, that is in the planning stage now. Contrary to what many people think, I feel that in time this will be a great asset to East Prairie, as it has been for many other small cities throughout Missouri. This is not something new. It is something we have lagged behind on in the last few years."

In regard to improvements planned on city streets, the water and sewer systems, Mayor Hogan said:

"The City Council very definitely has been making plans pertaining to the problems with our streets, water and sewers. The plans for our future water plant and sewer extensions, along with the problem of open ditches in town is now in the hands of our engineer.

Woman Killed In Car Plunge

Alice Maxwell, 55, route two, Hayti, a passenger in a 1969 Buick driven by Missie Lesley, 50, Little Rock, was dead on arrival at Pemiscot County Memorial hospital in Hayti, as result of a car accident, Thursday at 1:30 p.m.

The accident occurred on a county road, one mile east of route P, seven miles north of Hayti.

The body was taken to Osborn Funeral Home, Hayti.

The right side of the car ran off a wooden bridge, became overbalanced, fell and landed on its top on a steep enbankment.

Housing Loan For Illmo

The city of Illmo has received Housing and Urban Development approval of a $572,251 loan for construction of 30 triplex and duplex low rent homes, 24 of them homes for the elderly, a telegram from Washington D. C., reported today.

The site of the homes will be at the intersection of First and Hickory streets.

The telegram was signed by Congressman Bill Burlison and Senators Stuart Symington and Thomas F. Eagleton.

Men Fined on Larceny Charge

Jerry Lynn Jones and Terry Lynn Adams, both of Charleston, were fined $56 each in city court last night on charges of petit larceny. Judge James Sickal presided.

James Lee Western, 628 Linn, was fined $56 and given a 60- day suspended jail sentence for careless driving. The judge placed him on probation for one year.

Other persons fined for careless driving were Dale Shuffit, Vanduser, $12; Roy Hodgkins, 312 Selma, $18; Jesse Ledbetter, 322 Selma, $31; Lillian Kemp, 231 Young, $17, and Linnie T. Scally, $15.

Persons fined for public intoxication were Robert Mathis, 313 North Street, $12; Ernie Adams, 605 Smith, $12, and John Hickman, Canalou, $12.

New City Manager Will Arrive Monday

EAST PRAIRIE - The city council met last night with Mayor Lloyd Hogan presiding.

Jack Emory and Joe Webb, members of the housing authority, met with the council to discuss the acquisition of land for a low rent housing project.

An announcement was made that the new city manager, Glen Huntington from Colorado Springs will arrive Monday. A council meeting will be called when he arrives.

Police Chief Jake Abner stated that eight officers have completed the law enforcement training course offered at Sikeston. The board approved paying the milage of auxiliary police. Policemen will be paid their hourly wages for the 24 hours training.

The collector's report for Oct. 31 was $3,020.58. The total receipts for Nov. was $8,452.02 making a balance of $11,472.60.

The general fund disbursements for the month of Nov. was $7,586.60. The Nov. balance for the general fund was $3,886.00.

Judge J. Marvin Bryan reported a total of $230 fines collected in November.

Battery, Hub Caps Stolen

Ferrell Miller, 120 Gladys, reported to police today a battery was stolen from his car last night while parked at Imperial Bolwing Lanes.

Leonard Rose, Dexter, reported two hubcaps valued at $45 were stolen off his car on the parking lot at Missouri Delta Community Hospital between 2:30 p.m. and 5 p.m. Wednesday.

Three Charges Against Man

Police report W. T. Kirk, Essex, has been charged with driving while intoxicated, carrying a concealed weapon and careless driving.

Other arrests reported include Herman E. Grimes, peace disturbance; C. P. Condict, Morehouse, driving while intoxicated, and Daniel Sturgeon, 203 South Handy, careless driving.

Former Resident Editor

John H. Adams, 51, former Sikeston resident, has been named managing editor of U. S. News and World Report magazine, a national publication based in Washington, D. C.

Adams, who was promoted from associate executive editor, has been associated with the magazine since 1940.

Adams, a son of Dr. Lawrence B. Adams and a brother of Mrs. Wilson J. Ferguson, both of Sikeston, worked briefly with the Eugene, Ore., Daily News prior to joining U. S. News.

Adams, who is married and has three children, attended schools in Sikeston through the 10th grade. He finished high school at Sedalia and graduated from the University of Missouri in Columbia.

He left Sikeston in 1932.

Outside Counsel Named to Aid Possible My Lai Cover-up Probe

WASHINGTON (AP) — Secretary of he Army Stanley R. Resor today reached outside the Army and appointed a special counsel to help in a probe of a possible cover-up in the original field investigation of the alleged My Lai massacre.

A Pentagon spokesman said Resor wanted a civilian counsel available to Lt. Gen. William R. Peers, head of the investigating board, to help assure "objectivity and impartiality."

Resor chose Robert MacCrate, partner in the New York law firm of Sullivan and Cromwell. The 48-year-old MacCrate in turn selected Jerome K. Walsh Jr., partner in the New York law firm of Walsh and Frisch, as his associate special counsel

Resor's move was announced as the Peers board prepared to take testimony from 1st Lt. William L. Calley Jr., who is facing court-martial on charges of killing at least 109 Vietnamese civilians in My Lai hamlet on March 16, 1968.

The eight-man board, made up mostly of military officers, is questioning witnesses in secret at the Army Operations Center, wo levels below rround in the Pentagon.

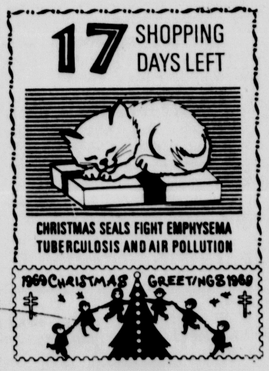
The mission of the Peers board is to determine why there was a falldown in the original investigation in April 1968 of reports of atrocities at My Lai.

According to the Army, that field investigation concluded the reports of unnecessary killings of civilians were groundless. The findings never went beyond division level, the Army has said, and the matter was reopened a year later only when a former soldier wrote letters to high government officials reporting eyewitness accounts of mass killings.

In the announcement of a new special counsel, Resor said he had approved a request by Peers for such a lawyer "not associated with the government."

MacCrate served as counsel o Gov. Nelson A. Rockefeller of New York from 1959 to 162. A former naval officer in World War II, MacCrate is a graduate of Haverford College and Harvard Law School.

Walsh, 37, graduated from Georgetown University and the University of Michigan law school, and served in the Army for two years. He formerly was associated with MacCrate's law firm.



Oran Man Elected President Of Land Bank Association

Walter R. Brown, attorney for Federal Land Bank Association, St. Louis for almost 35 years told an audience of more than 200 at the American Legion Hall, yesterday:

"I can't tell you the future of the lending market to farmers, but I will tell you that whatever it is the federal land bank will be there to assist you. The nation is now in a cooling off period and it may take three and one half years to complete it."

Charles N. Meier, Jackson, president of Sikeston Federal Land Bank Association was relected to the board for a three - year term. He was opposed by Oscar Mangels of Oak Ridge.

Vincent Dirnberger, Oran, was elected president to suceed Meier at the Association's annual meeting, and Dale Geske, Matthews, was chosen vice president. Manager Hal F. Robertson presided.

Brown said that since the federal loan act was passed by Congress in 1916 with 12 federal land banks in operation $630 million has been lent to 35,000 farmers. "I have been told that by 1980 there will be only 500,000 farms in the nation compared to three million, I don't believe it."

"Over the years 20 million people have moved to 224 urban areas" he continued. "They live on one per cent of the land. There will be more money borrowed by a fewer number of farm operators.

"Our association is the only association in the nation that can lend money at a lower rate than what it costs us because it is backed by Congress.

"Over one-half of the rural people live in subhousing," he said in reference to a continuing need for loans.

The St. Louis Federal Land Bank serves Missouri, Illinois and Arkansas, with 62 branches of which Sikeston is one.

Manager Robertson gave the financial report.

Mortgage loans outstanding for the fiscal year totaled $17,965,123. There were 73 loans closed during the fiscal year for $3,107,835. Not a single loan payment is past due.

Entertainment was furnished by the Sikeston high school chorus of 186 under the direction of Gordon Beaver.

News Briefs

Senators Prod Sergeant Probe

WASHINGTON (AP) — Senators have prodded the Pentagon to explain or substantiate reports that officials have found no grounds for prosecuting alleged illegal activities by Army sergeants.

Sen. Abraham Ribicoff, DConn., who conducted a series of public hearings into alleged service club rackets, requested the explanation Thursday from Secretary of Defense Melvin R. Laird.

Army investigators at the hearings said they believed the sergeants had been protected by a coverup at high levels of the Army.

Oahu Escapes Tide Damage

HONOLULU (AP) — The storm-battered north shore of Oahu Island escaped further damage early today when an expected monster surf crested a critical 10 feet lower than predicted.

More than 1,700 residens had been evacuated as the north shore, on the opposite side of the island from Honolulu, braced for towering walls of water.

The surf peaked at 30 feet at high tide, not high enough to cause property damage. This was 20 feet below the waves that smashed 58 homes and caused $1 million in property damage Monday.

Today's waves had been predicted to hit 40 feet, the height they reached Thursday. A midPacific storm some 1,000 miles northwest of Hawaii spawned the massive waves, officials said.

Weather

Rain likely and warmer tonight and Saturday. Low tonight from upper 30s to the 40s. Winds tonight southeasterly 12 to 20. Highs Saturday in the 50s. Probabilities of precipitation tonight 60 per cent, Saturday 80 per cent.

FIVE—DAY FORECAST

Temperatures Saturday through Wednesday will average near normal. Normal highs range near 50, lows in the low 30s. Precipitation will average one-half inch to one inch as rain or possibly snow Saturday.

HIGH AND LOW YESTERDAY

High and low temperatures for the 24-hour period ending at 7:30 a.m. today wer 42 and 25 degrees.

Sunset today.....4.41 p.m.
Sunrise tomorrow.....6:58 a.m.
Moonrise tomorrow.....3:54 a.m.
New Moon.....Dec. 9
PROMINENT STAR
Aldebaran in the east.. 7:05 p.m.
VISIBLE PLANETS
Saturn high in southeast 7:28p.m.
Mars sets..... 9:46 p.m.
Jupiter above the moon.
Venus rises..... 6:07 a.m.

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POOR CHARLIE SAYS!

RIESEL'S REPORTS WEEKS AHEAD ON NEWS OF LABOR STRIFE IN TURBULENT '70

Once more the weighty New York Times has come in second to your columnist Victor Riesel on what will be a series of headline - making stories for several years to come. And once more the wire services have lagged behind Riesel on the same dramatic front.

On Monday, Dec. 1, the Times front - paged a roundup report on things to come on the turbulent labor scene. The long story ran under the head: "U. S. Faces Period of Labor Unrest. Unions Seeking Wage Gains to Offset Increases in Rising Living Cost."

Then virtually word for word came corroboration of a series of Victor Riesel's columns -- which began two months ago and culminated in a roundup piece on President Nixon's national emergency strike policy which Riesel dispatched Nov. 24 headed "Confidential Report: Nixon Studies Strategy to Take Presidency Out of Labor Strife -- Including National Emergency Strikes."

Everywhere now stories appear on the turbulence to come during 1970 and even 1971. Your columnist Victor Riesel anticipated this some 10 weeks ago when he filled a column under the head: "Massive Strikes Loom: President Nixon Facing National Labor Upheaval.

"This next 10 or 12 months," wrote Riesel, "may see chain reaction strikes hitting General Electric, and other electronic and electrical equipment manufacturers; midnight railroad stoppages; a national over - the - road general truck stoppage; wildcats in the mine fields and a lusty battle between Walter Reuther's United Auto Workers and the motor industry ..."

Thus it has gone on story after story. On Oct. 27, Riesel wrote that there would be tough construction strikes "tougher than 1969 ..." This was one of Riesel's "Inside the White House" pieces.

On Oct. 27, Riesel wrote of "President's '70 Woes: Strike Wave to Sweep Over U. S. as Rank and File Pushe For 10% Annual Hike."

On Dec. 1, the Times roundup spoke of the rail, GE, construction, trucking and auto crises which Riesel has been predicting and analyzing for more than two months.

Thus, on what will make soaring headlines in what might well be called the searing seventies, Victor Riesel is way up front -- and will be as the years of labor roll over the nation again.

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Keeping a person in hot water is no way to make him tender.

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Ben Franklin said it: Man's tongue is soft, and bone doth lack;
Yet a stroke there with may break a mans back.

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Heard at the coffee table: "The wise can learn by listening to the ignorant."

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A NO FOR RED CHINA

Once again as in years past the United Nations General Assembly voted to retain the Republic of China as a membernation and not seat Red China. The vote was 48 nations in favor of kicking the free Chinese out of the UN and giving their seat to the Communists, and 56 nations opposing the action. Indonesia, the same as last year, was conveniently absent during the balloting. Twenty-one countries chose to play both ends against the middle by abstaining. We were sorry to see that Canada was in that number. We wonder how Mr. Trudeau, the Canadian Prime Minister, is going to explain this to the Chinese - Canadians, who called on him to reject the Peiping regime that holds their families, friends and relatives in bondage.

The vote on this issue has not been close since 1965 when the tally was 547-47 with 20 abstentions. Even that was far short of the two-thirds majority required to pass.

It is unfortunate that the countless millions of people living in slavery behind the Bamboo Curtain, where there is no free press, will be denied the right to know which nations voted to recognize their slavemasters. We thought you might like to have that information which is denied to them. For the record: the 48 United Nations members who voted this year to oust free China and seat the Communist Peiping regime:

Afghanistan	Ghana	Romania
Albania	Guinea	Somalia
Algeria	Hungary	Southern Yemen
Bulgaria	India	Sudan
Burma	Iraq	Sweden
Burundi	Kenya	Syria
Byelorussian SSR	Libya	Uganda
Cambodia	Mali	Ukrainian SSR
Ceylon	Mauritania	Union of Soviet
Congo	Mauritius	Social Republics
(Brazzaville)	Mongolia	United Arab Republic
Cuba	Morocco	United Kingdom
Czechoslovakia	Nepal	United Republic
Denmark	Nigeria	of Tanzania
Ethiopia	Norway	Yemen
Finland	Pakistan	Yugoslavia
France	Poland	Zambia

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Highway traffic problems can be solved with trains. According to the Railway Progress Institute, a single rail line can handle as much traffic as five lanes of buses on expressways, or 20 lanes of automobiles under normal metropolitan conditions. The number of people in three crowded expressway lanes stretching for one mile can be carried in one 10-car train.

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"Heinie" Henry, the sage of China town says: "The only time a man remembers that he has any complexion at all is when he selects a new necktie, and the salesman tells him so."

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The Colonel said: "The first thing a woman does when she falls in love with a man is to imagine that he is the smartest man in the world, but the man should know better than to allow her to convince him.

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THE TEST AHEAD

According to "South," the News Magazine of Dixie, "There are 100 taxes on an egg, 150 on a woman's hat, 151 on a loaf of bread, and 600 on a house. But our national debt has soared to $360 billion -- and Representative Otto Passman of Louisiana figures it now exceeds by $43 billion the total debt of all other free nations.

"As inflation continues to take its bite, Secretary Maurice Stans points out that it stems primarily from $50 billion in government deficits over the past five years. 'During that period,' he says, 'the country was deluded into thinking we could somehow get more out of the economy than the economy could produce. All we had to do was spend more money. This delusion has now collided with reality."

As the delusion that government handouts are free is shown as sheer fakery, the true generosity of voters and taxpayers will be put to a severe test. Will welfare programs seem as attractive when the people see the size of their price tags? Will the people have the wisdom to support essential defense spending at the cost of personal sacrifice?

The way the taxpayers resolve such questions will determine the future course and strength of the nation.

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As we have said before and probably will say several more times in the future, High Interest rates charged by banks and financial institutions are the most leading thing in bringing this country to a complete slow down in business. It even brought forth the following editorial in the Wednesday Glove - Democrat.

TIGHT MONEY BRINGING OUT SHARKS

Money is so scarce now that some businesses are literally having to submit to demands on profits or property in order to get loans.

Take the recent case of Bermec Corp., a company listed on the New York Stock Exchange.

In order to borrow $3 million from an insurance company to save the Black Watch Farms, Inc., division of Bermec from bankruptcy, Bermec's chairman Herman L. Meckler had to sell a half interest in Black Watch Farms to the insurance company for $1, and pay 10 per cent as well on the $3 million loan.

Telling of the conditions that prevail in today's money market, Meckler said, "We had a choice of borrowing money under these terms or seeing imminent bankruptcy for Black Watch."

"If they had insisted they wanted all of Black Watch for the $3 million loan, I would have given it to them - with the consent of the board of directors," he added.

This is what the tight money policy is sometimes leading to. Bermec's case is not an isolated example.

Meckler said this "humiliating experience" resulted from a combination of high interest rates and the scarcity of money which hurt Bermec's truck-leasing business as well as Black Watch's ability to get working capital. Black Watch's sales were hurt by uncertainty about the proposed tax-reform legislation that could affect the current favorable treatment of owners of breeding cattle.

In the past year, according to The Wall Street Journal, the practice of forcing borrowers to grant lenders a share of profits (but not losses), a percentage of rents and clauses that can raise interest rates has become widespread.

Thus we see that the "stabilization" the government seeks to bring about, by allowing excessive interest rates and tight money, actually is pushing some businesses to the wall.

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The lucky thing about spoiled children is that you never have them in your own family.

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Secretary: a popular girl who helps you take her telephone calls.

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If the cost of living continues to rise, newlyweds may have to do without some things their parents never could afford.

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Ray Moll, the Light Plant engineer-retired navy officer, says things easiest to raise are hardest to eat - rhubarb and parsnips, for example,

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Heard at the coffee table: "A business seldom amounts to enough to give all the employes the rewards they deserve.

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School and College Fires in the U. S. average about 8,300 a year, National Fire Protection Association studies show. Losses amount to some $46 million - much of it in publicly - supported institutions.

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Hal Boyle

By KEN HARTNETT
Associated Press Writer

WASHINGTON (AP) — The year before, Marta spent each day yawning and for her husband, Jim, anger was a way of life.

They were in the city then, two struggling artist-radicals—young, vaguely in love, and talented.

But, he hated the fawning patrons who came to judge and occasionally—only occasionally—buy their paintings. He hated the bills and the bill collectors. He hated the television set and the concrete cubicle that was their apartment.

And, most of all, he hated his job with its formalities and routines.

And she feared the competitiveness of her work against his and feared that his seething anger would sooner or later seize on her. And she also hated the city with its congestion and rules and distractions. So, she yawned and he hated her yawning.

So one day, this past summer, he quit his job. She quit hers. They gathered the possessions they loved, which were few, and packed them into a rented pickup truck and headed for the great forests of the Pacific Northwest.

They found a little cabin by a remote lake. The owner rented it to them for a fraction of what they had been paying in the city and they settled down.

She began baking bread and learned how to clean the trout that he found in the lake. And he began cutting lumber for their wood stove.

He let his hair grow long so that it tumbled down his shoulders and he threw away his razor. His muscles grew hard. jhe stopped smoking cigarettes.

Their few neighbors let them alone or when they dropped by did so to drop off a grouse or a pheasant. No one seemed to care hat they wore their hair long or decorated their home with musty old portraits and pop bottles or that his only job was pumping gas down on the highway when a few dollars could come in handy.

They know it can't last, that sooner or later the population surge will find them, their cash reserves will run out completely or they may even get bored.

But, they don't care about what will happen, only what's happening.

And they say that for now they have found paradise on earth. He isn't angry anymore and she yawns only when she is tired.

"I Have a Feeling He's Trying to Tell Us Something!"



TOMORROW

DECEMBER 6 - SATURDAY

DAY OF QUITO. Dec. 6. Ecuador. Commemorates founding of city by Spaniards in 1534.

INDEPENDENCE DAY or SUOMEN ITSENAISYYSPAVIA. Dec. 6. Finland. Declaration of independence from Russia on this day, 1917.

MEMORIAL DAY. Dec. 6. Arkansas.

NATIONAL FOOD BROKERS ASSOCIATION CONVENTION. Dec. 6-10. New York, NY.

ST. NICHOLAS DAY. Dec. 6. Belgium and other European nations. Children receive gifts.

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The wedding date was set and the groom's three pals - a carpenter, an electrician and a dentist - were deciding what pranks to play on the couple on their wedding night.

The carpenter figured sawing the slats of their bed would give them a chuckle or two.

The electrician decided he'd wire the bed - with alternating current of course.

The dentist wouldn't commit himself but wore a sly grin and promised a real lulu. The nuptials went off as planned, and a few days later each of the groom's buddies received the following note:

"Dear Friend: We didn't mind the bed slats being sawed and the electric shock was only a minor thing. But, I'm gonna kill the guy who put the novacaine in the vaseline!"

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OUR SYMPATHIES, COMRADE

The establishment, it appears, is concerned about movies emphasizing violence, crime and drunkenness.

The film industry has gone overboard, a top law man charges, on pictures of the type "where pasions are whipped up to an absurd point and all meaning is lost in a chaos of horror."

Not exactly news on the U. S. scene, but the scene in this case happens to lie elsewhere - in the Soviet Union.

A recent dispatch out of the land of Lenin quotes Lt. Gen. Ivan Golovchenko, interior minister of the Ukraine, as charging Soviet movies with direct responsibility for an alarming increase in juvenile delinquency. One-third of the young inmates of corrective labor camps got there because of crimes committeed under the influence of movies, says Golovchenko, who is in a position to speak with some authority since he runs the camps.

If nothing else, it may indicate that the Soviets may at least have found an area of competition with the decadent West in which they stand a chance of catching up.

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A Negro couple went into a Southern, all-white night club. As they arrived the maitre d' ran up to the boss and said, "Boss, we got a colored couple here. What are we gonna do??"

The boss thought a moment and then said, "Raise the drinks to $2, $4, $8 - keep doubling the price on them. We'll get rid of them in no time."

An hour later the maitre d' went back to his boss and anxiously told him the couple were now up to $64 a drink. "What do we do? What we do?" he asked.

The boss looked at him and said, "Get rid of the white trash."

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A bachelor is like a detergent. Works fast and leaves no ring.

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"I'm on my way to buy a waffle iron."

"Don't be silly. Who ever heard of ironing waffles?"

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Man showing doctor his wife's hand: "She did it preparing dinner," he said. "It's frostbite."

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OH, WHO READS IT ANYWAY?

Ever wonder who reads newspaper advertising? One of the most recent surveys shows that:

He is likely to be more intelligent and literate than people who respond to other types of advertising.

He is likely to have more money to spend than other people.

She is over 80% of the women who go grocery shopping.

If she is older, she gives advice on foods, electrical appliances, sewing and parties.

He is nearly every man considering the purchase of an automobile, tractor or truck.

He is a boy looking for a puppy; or someone with a litter of mongrels needing a home.

If she is a teenager, she sets the pace in selecting skirts, slacks and sneakers.

He is a lawyer looking for a typist; or a typist looking for a job.

He is a builder looking for a loan; or a banker looking for an investment.

The newspaper reader is someone looking for a house to rent; or someone trying to rent a house.

He or she is the whole community with unsatisfied wants of many kinds.

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Our councilman has just decided not to run for Congress. He'd rather remain a big fraud in a little pond.

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"Can you let me have a dime for carfare?"

"Sorry, fellow, all I have is a dollar bill."

"That'll do. I'll take a taxi."

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THE UNEXAMINED LIFE

The woman who sat at the complaint desk of a large department store kept her voice low and pleasant even when listening to the most unreasonable criticisms of dissatisfied customers, some of whom spoke rudely to her. And she always had a smile for everyone. A passerby in the store was quite amazed at this. Then she noticed the woman's dark red earrings. On one, in white lettering, was inscribed "in" and on the other "out."

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INDUSTRY HELPS RAISE FUNDS FOR 4-H PROJECTS

American business and industry has created the National 4-H Club Foundation Advisory Council to assist the man on the farm. Formed a year ago by 110 corporate executives and having completed its organization period, its first task will be helping 4-H raise funds for the expansion of a national center in suburban Washington, D. C.

Among the industry advisors is Arthur E. Larkin, president of General Foods Corporation. After completing a successful 4-H fund drive in the food industry last year he has been named to the Advisory Council and will head the Gold Clover campaign for contributions from individuals and companies to support the foundation.

General Foods also sponsors a Food-Nutrition Awards program and the company is now underwriting the costs of the preparation by the U. S. Department of Agriculture of five manuals on food and nutrition.

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RAILS DO HAVE A FUTURE -- HERE ARE REASONS WHY

Railroads do have a future -- and I have reasons for thinking so.

For present purposes I'll limit my "arguments" to four:

1. Railroads have inherent advantages.

2. Railroads are good for the nation.

3. Railroads are needed.

4. Railroads are adjusting rapidly to advancing technology and shippers' needs.

Let me say just a few words about these four elements in the railroad "survival kit."

Railroads are blessed with inherent advantages over other modes of transportation. At least seven such inherent advantages come to mind.

1. The steel wheel on the steel rail has less propulsive resistance than other forms of transport.

2. Railroads have greater capacity to move large volumes over great distances at reasonable speed and at low cost.

3. They have greater fuel economy.

4. They have greater present -- and future -- transportation capacity.

5. Railroads have an existing plant.

6. They have existing rights of way without further scalping of the earth as in highway and airport construction.

7. Railroads are almost "immune" to weather troubles.

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Two boy silkworms were chasing a girl silkworm. They ended up in a tie.

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SLIGHT DIFFERENCE

Puffing and blowing, the sailor just managed to jump into a carriage as the train left the station.

The middle-aged man in the corner eyed him with scorn.

"When I was your age, my lad," he said, "I could run a half mile, catch a train by the skin of my teeth, and yet be as fresh as a daisy."

"Yes," gasped the young fellow, "but I missed this one at the last station."

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SIGN LANGUAGE

Card in jeweler's window on a string of pearls: "Made in Japan - by oysters"

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The three old men met on the street corner and were discussing their problems brought on by old age. The first sighed and said, "Well, you think you've got problems, but I'm going deaf and believe me there's just nothing worse."

The second old man shook his head solemnly and spoke, "That's not half as bad as me. I'm losing my eyesight and there's just nothing worse than that."

"Oh, I don't know," the third old fellow answered. "It seems that I'm losing my mind and that's terrible. It's so bad now that I can't remember things anymore. Why the other night, I walked my date to the door and she looked at me and said, 'Old man, you've had it' and you know I couldn't remember whether I had or not?"

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Today is the day to make friends tomorrow is the day you may need them.

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The air pollution around here has gotten so bad some people are scared to clear their sinuses.

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On church marquee: "Come in, Today is pray day"

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Dear Abbegail: A girl asked if she had done wrong when she downed three martinis, champagne and two brandies with her boy friend.

"Probably," Abby answered.

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WORTH TRYING

Have your good garments moth - proofed before storing for summer. This treatment can save you lots of money ... You can remove many perspiration stains from washable clothing by putting a thick paste of baking soda over the stained area and leaving it on for about fifteen minutes ... Ink stains come out of washable clothes if the area is first soaked in sour milk or buttermilk, then laundered as usual.

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TRENDS

One of the biggest sportswear fashions of a few years ago has bounced back into favor and is heading for popularity with the well dressed man. We refer to velours, once again available in new styles ... Fashion people are predicting the stickpin will make a comeback. It is a "natural" with wide tires ... Watch for another revival from the '30's -- linen and the look - of - linen in suits, jackets and slacks. It's already available in the new clothing models.

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Mother rushed into the playroom when she heard her five - year - old son screaming and found that the baby daughter was pulling his hair.

"Never mind," she tried to comfort him, "your baby sister doesn't understand that it hurts you."

She hadn't been out of the room for a minute when more shrieks sent her running back. This time the baby was crying.

"What's the matter with the baby?" she asked the boy

"Nothing much," he replied calmly. "Only now she knows."

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AN OLDEE-

During the lunch time rush crowd, many of the restaurant customers shared their tables with strangers. The very proper spinster selected a seat next to an attractive, young office girl. The girl finished her sandwich and coffee, then settled back and lit up a cigarette. The older woman controlled herself for a few moments and then snapped, "I'd rather commit adultry than smoke in public."

"So would I," said the girl, "but I only have half an hour for lunch."

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NEW OBSTACLE COURSE FOR AUTO DRIVING TESTS

How will the figure eight plus 2.6 equal better highway driving?

The figure eight is the shape of the proposed 2.6 miles of roadway to be a test - pattern for every conceivable type of driving hazard.

Called the Oval - Eight, it is the creation of the Transportation and Traffic Safety Center of the Pennsylvania State University.

Once inside the pattern the student driver can find anything from a four-lane, fourway intersection to traffic lights, to a six-block city layout complete with curbinb to those off - and-on ramps of a freeway that sometimes sneak up on you.

This $1 million pilot site is to be constructed on a 72-acre plot of land on the campus, and it is intended to determine whether or not more sophisticated techniques of testing drivers can lead to improved traffic safety.

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Gail Martin says her idea of true happiness is dying - and then rolling around heaven all day.

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Georgia has become the 34th state to adopt reflectorized license plates. The Peach State will start using them in 1971. Studies have shown that reflectorized plates are a definite factor in reducing collisions on the highway at night.

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Ah, sweet April, this instant of blessed repose betwixt snow blower and lawn mower!

Washington Merry - Go - Round

By Jack Anderson

WASHINGTON--This column has been shown a stack of documents, many of them classified, which prove beyond any doubt that the U.S. command has striven to prevent atrocities in Vietnam but that Hanoi has actually encouraged atrocities.

The evidence is overwhelming that the communists have used murder and massacre, as a matter of policy, to eliminate political opponents and terrorize the population. The Americans, in contrast, have issued strict orders against cold-blooded killings and have brought pressure to stop their SouthVietnamese allies from violating the Geneva code.

Also, the U.S. painfully investigates its own atrocities, whereas Hanoi has tried to justify communist war crimes.

Yet the American outrages, such as the Green Beret murder and the Songmy massacre, are blown up in the world press, which scarcely takes notice of worse communist atrocities.

--IGNORED MASSACRES--

On Dec. 5, 1967, for instance, the Viet Cong surged into the Montagnard village of Dak Son near the Cambodian border, scorching the huts with flame throwers and heaving hand grenades indiscriminately. More than 200 noncombatants, 70 per cent of them women and children, were killed. The Viet Cong abducted another 400 villagers as forced laborers.

Reporters were shown the charred evidence, and survivors told their stories. But the press paid almost no attention.

On Feb. 23, 1969, North Vietnamese forces overran the hamlet of Kno Horing, wildly shooting and burning. They set fire to more than one-third of the shelters in the village. When the occupants tried to flee, the proops mercilessly gunned them down. All told, 78 were killed by gunfire, 100 were burned to death and 125 homes were destroyed.

Again, reporters were invited to inspect the remains and to interview the survivors. But the newspapers ignored the story.

Perhaps the most shocking war crimes were uncovered in Hue while the communitst held the ancient city during the Tet offensive.

"Despite the intense fighting in the city," declares a State Department document, "cadres equipped with lists of names and addresses on clipboards went about arresting and executing Vietnamese and foreigners who were of significance in the community. Often their wives and children were executed with them."

A State Department telegram, dated May 6, 1968, and stamped "confidential," gave this preliminary report of what the U.S. forces found after driving the NorthVietnamese out of Hue:

"More than 1,000 people were executed by the NVA (North Vietnamese) and Viet Cong in the Hue area during the communist Tet offensive. The victims were found in 19 separate mass grave sites. Many had been shot, some beheaded. A number of bodies showed signs of mutilation.

"Most were found with hands bound behind their backs. Almost half of the victims were found in conditions indicating they had been buried alive. Many were found bound together in groups of 10 to 15, eyes open, with dirt or cloth in their mouths."

--GLORIFYING MASSACRE--

Subsequent discoveries have boosted the number of victims, more than half of them women and children, to 3,500. Yet Hanoi, instead of showing any remorse over the incident, has given the massacre its official blessing.

On April 27, 1968, Radio Hanoi glorified the Hue massacre and described the helpless victims as Hooligan lackeys who had owed blood debts to the (communist) compatriots and who were annihilated by the Southern armed forces and people."

Indeed, cold-blooded killings have become everyday affairs in the wake of the Viet Cong. Their own documents tell how they systematically exterminate anti-communists, including Nationalist party members who oppose both Hanoi and Saigon rule. Quotas are even set, in communist fashion, to make sure the extermination policy is carried out. A typical document, caputed by U.S. forces in Quang Ngai province, boasts: "The anti-revolutionaries have become confused and panic-stricken because of our ever greater exploits scored during the recent (offensive). We killed 96 tyrants, captured 148 who owed blood debts to the people, and destroyed or disintegrated many rural pacification teams....

"Targets for elimination are members of the (Nationalist) party committees at province and district levels, the senior party members and the secretaries of village party committees....

"The destruction of Nationalist party reactionaries is not a one-shot affair. It is a continuous process. We must destroy them by every means available....We must do this in such a way that the National party committee members at district and village levels will be frightened into abandoning their activities, theri offices and their party."

The U.S. documents, made available to this column, stress American concern for innocent civilians, helpless prisoners and other non-combatants. When a South Vietnamese soldier shot a guerrilla pinned in the wreckage of a bridge and an unidentified American officer commented that U.S. forces also shot wounded Viet Cong, for example, the incident precipitated an immediate and typical investigation.

"We have said," declares a Pentagon report, "such acts are contrary to the Geneva conventions, that we do not condone them and that U.S. forces have clear instructions on the treatment of prisoners.

"The GVN (South Vietnamese government is investigating to determine who was responsible for the shootiing and MACV (the U.S. command) is trying to determine whether there is any basis to the allegation about acts committed by U.S. forces. MACV has forcefully reiterated its directives on treatment of prisoners and the liability for punishment under the military code of justice."

This report was dated March 11, 1968--five days before the Songmy massacre.

Women's Page

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Notice

Sikeston's Child Development Center is in need of men or women to serve as volunteer aids, replacing several who have moved away. If you can give two and a half hours, on a weekly basis, or if you can be a substitute worker, please phone the Center at 472-0132, or Mrs. Warren Manning (471-5523) or Mrs. Keith Collins (471-1092).

Grishams to Celebrate 50th Anniversary

A reception will be held Sunday in the Southside Baptist church of Charleston to honor Mr.and Mrs. Salia Grisham, 204 South Street, Charleston.

The Grishams' son, J. D. Grisham, and family of Royal Oak, Mich., will host the reception, from 2 until 4 p.m.

Fabulous Values! Lucky, lovely Linde Star



Pendant by Anson

If you've never seen the magic of a Linde* star, see it now. Watch the star appear, dance and glow, just as in far more costly natural gems. A man-made miracle at low cost.

Pendant (claret-red Linde) $15.00
Matching earrings, 14K posts $22.50

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125 N. New Madrid
Raymond & Betty

Volunteers Welcome

More volunteers are welcome at the Sikeston Regional Diagnostic Clinic.

Men, women and high school students interested in helping with he children are invited to attend a meeting of the Clinic Volunteers Thursday at 7:30 p.m. in the Clinic. A film will be shown.

More information may be obtained from Mrs. Judy Lopp, at 471-9455 or from Mrs. W. S. Corrigan at 471-5814.

(CHILLIWACK, B.C. (AP) — June Berg couldn't stand the old chair she had picked up at an auction, so she burned it.

Soon after she set the chair afire, her children ran up to her clutching handfuls of large-denomination bills that had appeared as the fabric burned away.

The Bergs recovered $1,100 but have no idea how much money may have been destroyed.

It has been estimated that 105 million American travelers will cover 200 billion miles of annual vacations by the end of 1969.

The Gospel Visitor

By: REEDUS M. BAUGHER

We are presently endeavoring to show, that the church of the New Testament (Matt. 16:18), is different from all other religious institutions and systems. Last week we showed that it is different from: (1) Paganism, mainly because, of its belief in One Supreme God. Today, we will show that it is different from (2) Judaism, mainly because, of its belief in Jesus Christ as the Son of God.

Judaism is the religion of Jews who reject Christ and cling to the Mosaic law, John writes of Jesus, "He came unto his own, and his own received him not." (Jno. 1:11) There is no excuse for any people refusing the Christ, ye the Jews are the least excusable of all, for the Lord encouraged them to, "search the scriptures; for in them ye think ye have eternal life: and they are they which testify of me." (Jno. 5: 39) He also added, "And ye will not come to me, that ye might have life." spake unto you, while I was yet with you, that all things must be fulfilled, which were written in the law of Moses, and in the prophets, and in the psalms, concerning me." (Lk. 24:44).

In rejecting Christ, the Jews: Rejected only means of salvation. Jesus said to them, "I said therefore unto you, that ye shall die in your sins: for if ye believe not that I am he, ye shall die in your sins." (Jno. 8:24) Peter said of Him, "There is the stone which was set at nought of you builders, which is become the head of the corner. Neither is there salvation in any other: for there is non other name under heaven given among men, whereby we must be saved." (Acts 4:11-12). In rejecting Christ, the Jews: Dishonored God. Christ, speaking to His apostles said, "He that heareth you heareth me; and he that despiseth you despiseth me; and he that despiseth me despiseth him that sent me." (Lk. 10:16) Notice also, "That all men should honour the Son, even as they honour the Father. He that honoureth not the Son honoureth not the Father which hath sent him." (Jno. 5:23).

Judaism and Christianity are antagonistic. "Christ is become of no effect unto you, whosoever of you are justified by the law; ye are fallen from grace." (Gal. 5:4), "Wherefore, my brethren, ye also are become dead to the law by the body of Christ..." (Rom. 7:4)

Women's Meetings

The Bess Truman Club of New Madrid County met at Hickory Village, Portageville for their annual Christmas party. Twenty four members attended.

After a Christmas luncheon, the meeting was opened with the Lords Prayer and the Pledge of Allegiance to the flag of United States of America.

Christmas gifts were exchanged and Mrs. Virginia Beis won the drawing for the Christmas cake.

When you care enough to send the very best - HALLMARK CHRISTMAS CARDS from Shy's Rexall.

Hospital Notes

MISSOURI DELTA COMMUNITY: Released:

Mary F. Brantley, East Prairie
Glen Keller, Sikeston
Lenora Edwards, Sikeston
Mrs. Brenda Eaves and Baby Boy, Morley
Madison Moore, Sikeston
Carol Presley, Sikeston
Nannett Morris, Sikeston
Willie Richardson, Matthews
Mrs. Emma Townsend and Baby Girl, New Madrid
Carolyn Schott, Oran
Dana Sullenger, Marston
Melissa Mammock, Morehouse

DEXTER MEMORIAL: Admitted:

Leslie E. Lee, Bloomfield;
Mayme Jones, Brownwood;
Lozettie Smith, Essex;

Released:

Sidney Shadown, Dexter;
Gertrude Hayes, Sikeston;
Albert Johnson, Sikeston

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Don C. Glover

Slides of Holy Land To Be Shown Tonight

Don C. Glover, minister of the Shady Acres Church of Christ, 1440 Ables Road, will show color slides of the tour he made last summer to the lands of the Bible. Glover, whose three- weeks' trip was financed by his congregation, visited Egypt, Lebanon, Cyprus, Israel, Turkey (ancient Asia Minor), Greece, Rome, and London.

The slides will be shown tonight at 7 p.m., at the church. The public is invited. There is no charge. No collection will be taken.

New Arrivals

BAUGHER — Mr. and Mrs. Loy Mac Baugher are parents of a girl, Dana Marie, born Thursday in Missouri Delta Community Hospital. She weighed 8 pounds 7 ounces.

Maternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Carl Dial, Route 4, Sikeston (Crowder). Paternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Loy Baugher, Sikeston.

BIXLER — Mr. and Mrs. Cardell Bixler, Canalou, are parents of Alan Braden, born Nov. 28. The couple has two daughters.

Paternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Melton Bixler.

SCHRECKENBERG — Son to Mr. nd Mrs. Patrick George Schreckenberg of Marble Hill, Southeast Missouri Hospital, 9:42 a.m. Tuesday. Name, Patrick Wayne. Weight 5 pounds 10 ounces. First child. Mrs. Schreckenberg is the former Miss Fern Ellen Diamond, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Diamond of Benton, Mr. Schreckenberg is employed by Midwest Pallet Co. at Lutesville, and is the son of Mr. and Mrs. George Schreckenberg of Leopold.

MCDANIEL — Mr. and Mrs. James McDaniel, Granite City, Ill.; are parents of a girl born Thursday in Missouri Delta Community Hospital.

Church Council Prexy Open-minded to Ideas

DETROIT (AP) — Cynthia Wedel first women elected president of the National Council of Churches, says, "My hopes and plans are only to be as open as possible to ideas and people."

Mrs. Wedel, 61, an Episcopalian, said she could not plan beyond this because "we don't know what new crisis will arise tomorrow or next week."

The blue-eyed, brown-haired psychologist was elected Thursday to head the 20-year-old organization which represents 33 Protestant and Orthodox denominations with 42 million members.

She won 387 to 93 over the Rev. Dr. Albert Cleage, a Negro and pastor of Detroit's Church of the Black Madonna.

Mrs. Wedel is the wife of a noted theologian, the Rev. Dr. Theodore O. Wedel. They live in Alexandria, Va., where she is associate director of a psychological research institute, the Center for Volunteerism of the National Institute of Applied Behavioral Sciences.

She is a long-time ecumenical leader, both in the National and World councils of churches, serving in their assemblies in this country and abroad. Mrs. Wedel also has served as a National Council vice president and has been a member of various presidential commissions including one on the status of women appointed by President John F. Kennedy.

Mrs. Wedel said her policy of openness applies particularly to "the young, the blacks, the poor, the oppressed."

"Our old ways of doing things are not adequate. There must be big changes, and they must be made faster than we think possible," she said.

"I'm quite sure that God, along with the young, the blacks, and the others, cares very little for our traditions, our accustomed procedures."

She suggested that perhaps there should be special pressure groups serving as constant prods to the council—a youth caucus, a woman's caucus, an Indian caucus, a Spanish-American caucus, a laymen's caucus.

Although she allied herself here with women pressing for more woman power in church establishments, she said she was not personally militant about the issues "because I was always one of the few lucky women who happened to be in positions of some power."

But she said she understands "how frustrating it is for many women" seeking consideration on a basis of ability rather than sex.



Chrismon Tree To Bloom At First Christian

The Chrismon tree originated in 1957 by a woman in Virginia who felt that the church Christmas tree should be more meaningful to the true spirit of Christmas. The term "Chrismon" was coined from the two words "Christs' monograms," or symbols relating to the life of our Lord.

The women of the First Christian Church started their project in 1968, after collecting simulated pearls, gold beads, mesh, sequins, etc. Using some patterns of Greek letter symbols, they fashioned the many white and gold ornaments that adorn the tree. The white and gold represents the purity and majesty of Christ. The sketches, from which the Chrismons were made, are from copies of carvings or drawings made by some of the earliest Christians. Some were found in the catacombs in Rome, others came from early day jewelry, utensils, and ornaments on buildings. They were used so early Christians could identify each other or find the meeting places, when followers of Jesus were persecuted and their gatherings forbidden. These symbols consist of many types of crosses and some symbols Mary might have used remembering Jesus' childhood and might direct ones thoughts to the true meaning of Christmas.

Many viewed the tree last year, and many more have expressed a wish to see it; so the members of the Christian Women's Fellowship, with Mrs. Earl Jarvis as president and Mrs. Durward Penry as Chrismon chairman, invite all who wish to share a meaningful experience, to a tea, in the fellowship hall on Sunday, December 7 from 2 until 4.

Social Calendar

FRIDAY

OES Birthday Club will meet at 12 noon for a pot luck. Bring a $1 exchange gift.

SATURDAY

Annual Christmas Bazaar of St. Paul's Episcopal church at 10 a.m. at the parish house on Highway 61 North.

SATURDAY

Annual installation of officers for the Sikeston chapter of the Order of Eastern Star will be held in the Masonic Temple at 7:30 p.m. Mrs. Naomi Davis will be installed at worthy matron, and Walter Powell as worthy patron in this public ceremony.

MONDAY

Women's Division of the Chamber of Commerce will meet at 12 noon for regular meeting. Pizza Inn.

THURSDAY

Entre Nous Club will meet in the home of Mrs. T. H. Grady and Mrs. Marvin Ralph, co-hostess, at 7 p.m. Christmas party and exchange of gifts.

Ann Landers

Sensitive Patient Hits Doctor... Patient Feeling More Pain Now

Dear Ann Landers: Please tell me if I am normal or a candidate for the net. I'm beginning to wonder.

Yesterday I went to my doctor for a checkup. I'm not the type who runs to the doctor with every little ache and pain. But I had been feeling poorly for several days and decided to have myself looked at.

My doctor is a general practitioner – and has been wonderfully kind and considerate to our entire family through the years. He delivered my three children and saw my husband through some serious illnesses. We all worship him.

When the doctor examined me, he pressed a tender spot and I experienced an unexpected stabbing pain. Without thinking I gave his arm a hit. It was more of an automatic response than a display of anger. Although I didn't hit him very hard, he became furious with me. In a voice that could be heard all over the office, he shouted, "Don't ever do that again or you will have to get another doctor." Then he proceeded to bawl me out for ten minutes. The nurse who was in the room was as surprised as I.

When the doctor finished chewing me out, I began to cry and couldn't stop. I don't know what came over me. I just sat there like a fool and sobbed my head off.

Today I feel depressed and remorseful. I'm ashamed of myself.

Am I becoming mentally ill? Why did I lose my grip? What do you think about this episode? – Long- Time Fan.

Dear L.T.F.: I checked with four physicians and their verdict was unanimous. Your doctor overreacted. He may well have been overworked and tired. (Doctors are human, you know.) Your hitting his arm (which, of course, you should not have done) probably triggered the unfortunate response.

Crying as you did was not abnormal. You were undoubtedly not only hurt but deeply disappointed to discover that your idol had feet of clay.

Dear Ann Landers: My husband and I have two lovely children. We figured our family was complete and were well satisifed. When I learned I was pregnant again, I wasn't happy but I decided to make the best of it.

When I told my husband, he flew into a rage. I don't think I've ever seen him so mad. He called me an idiot and a dumbbell and ended up saying we would have to give the baby away. I was sure he'd cool off and change his mind, but four months have passed and he is still repeating his demands. He says he wouldn't "sell" the baby, but he would expect the people who adopt it to pay the hospital and doctor bills.

Last night I told him to quit screaming -- that my mind was made up I just couldn't carry a child for nine months and give it away as if it were a puppy. He said, "You will or I'm leaving." Please help me, Ann. I'm ashamed to sign my name. I'm sure you've never had a letter as strange as this one. – Mother of Two and A Half.

Dear Mother: Your situation isn't nearly as strange as you think. Every few months I hear about a nut like your husband. Invariably these kooks change their minds, and I'm betting yours will, too.

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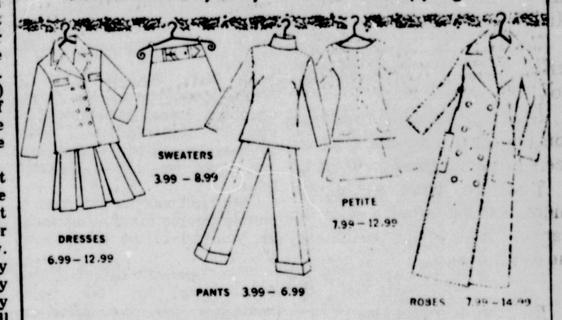
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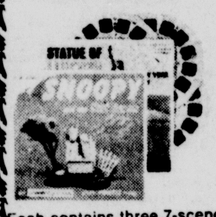
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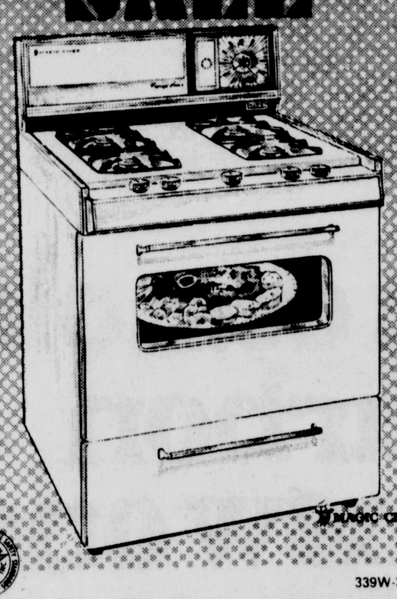
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Delta to Finals

ORAN -- East Prairie and Scott Central bounded into the losers bracket title match last night while Delta moved into the champion finals of the Oran Invitational basketball tournament.

Delta edged out the hosting Eagles 60-52, East Prairie slipped past Illmo-Scott City 65-61 in overtime and Scott Central dumped the College High junior varsity 74-21.

Robert Falkoff paced the East Prairie win with 22 points as his team took the win from the charity line where it netted 25 free throws. Ken Caveness led the Rams scoring.

It was a see-saw battle from the start with the Eagles coming back in the final quarter to tie the score at 59 all before moving in with the win and to the consolation title match.

Nine players got into the scoring column for coach Ken Wages Braves, four in double figures, as Scott Central shot into the losers bracket final. Keith Taylor, Gary Shackles and David Sindle scored 11 points each to lead the Braves. Larry Aufdenberg netted 14 for College high.

Delta fought from a 28-26 half time deficit with a 15-9 third quarter edge over the host for a 41-37 lead and increased that margin with its height advantage making the difference in a 19-15 four period.

Steve Bock led the Bobcats scoring with 17 points, but its was Oran's Don Evans with high game honors, scoring 33 in leading the Eagles upset bid.

Scoring:

EAST PRAIRIE (65)
Jefferies 16, Cooper 10, Falcoff 22, Marshall 7, Moss 6, Bain 4. TEAM TOTALS: FG-20; FT-25; PF-24.

ILLMO-SCOTT CITY (61)
Caveness 18, Miller, Amick 11, Carbol 6, Wilhelm 2, Spinks 9. TEAM TOTALS: FG-24; FT-13; PF-22.

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SCOTT CENTRAL (74)
Taylor 11, Shackes 11, Sindle 11, Mortin 10, Freeman 9, Ken Taylor 8, Phillips 4, Mills 2, Alcorn 8. TEAM TOTALS: FG-26; FT-18; PF-12.

COLLEGE HIGH J.V. (21)
Aufdenberg 14, Morton 6, Damue 1. TEAM TOTALS: FG-5; FT-11; PF-16.

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ORAN (52)
Evans 33, Emerson 8, Shaffer 5, Sensiboy 6. TEAM TOTALS: FG-24, FT-4; Pf-25.

DELTA (60)
Bock 17, Belew 11, Cox 14, Dunkin 7, Seebaugh 6, Needham 3, Lemmons 2. TEAM TOTALS: FG-18; FT-24; PF-8.

Zalma Upset

WOODLAND — In continuing first round action in the Ozark conference tournament Meadow Heights of Patton routed St. Vincents of Perryville 54-34 and upstart Greenville surprised Zalma 60-56.

Mark Mungle lead the Meadow Heights quintet to the smashing victory as he netted 25 against the Indians, while teammate Doug Bollinger connected for 12 of Patton's total.

Jim Moll was the only man in double figures for the Indians as he pumped in 14 in a losing effort.

The Greenville Bears had two men vying for the point leadership for the game as Richard Bridges and David Davis each tallied 14 to place the squad into tonight's semi- finals.

John McLeary took high point honors for the contest, as he managed to net 19 against the determined Bears. Galen McSpadden pumped in 13 to follow McLeary in the scoring column.

The semi- finals kicks off tonight at 7 p.m. as Woodland greets Meadow Heights. Oak Ridge battles Greenville in the 8:30 p.m. contest.

Scoring:

MEADOW HEIGHTS (54)
Mungle 25, Bollinger 12, D. Mungle 9, Davis 1, Welker 2, Turner 3, Mitchem 2. TEAM TOTALS: FG-16; FT-22; PF-20.

ST. VINCENTS (34)
Moll 14, Wengert 8, Hurst 2, Erlacker 3, Schnurbusch 3, Saur 2, Franklin 1, Bernard 1. TEAM TOTALS: FG-11; FT-12; PF-25.

Meadow H.	15	10	16	13 - 54
St. Vincents	8	5	9	12 - 34

GREENVILLE (60)
Davis 14, Libla 10, Opaluski 8, Hershey 2, Bridges 14, Schumaker 6, Schaffer 6, TEAM TOTALS: FG—21; FT-18; PF-16.

ZALMA (56)
Holt 10, McCleary 19, Moore 2, Simmers 10, McSpadden 13, Gowen 2. TEAM TOTALS: FG-21; FT-14; PF-25.

Greenville	16	13	12	19 - 60
Zalma	11	13	18	14 - 56

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SOUTHEAST MISSOURI All- Staters were present at the 24th Annual Poplar Bluff letter Club Banquet Wednesday evening. Shown from left: Bill Gotto, Perryville; Terry Kitchen, Cape Central; Hosie Moss, Poplar Bluff; Bill Cunningham, Gideon; Steve Rogers and Charlie Vickery, Chaffee; and Don Clayton and Byron Loafman, Malden.

Rebels, Pirates In Title Match

DEXTER -- Last night's action in the Dexter Jr. High Invitational Tournament found Richland and Parma bringing home key victories which placed them in the finals Saturday night pitted against each other. Richland defeated host Dexter 34-20, and favored Parma romped Bloomfield 48-28.

In the first quarter, Richland rolled to a 10-2 first frame score and from then on Dexter had to play catch-up basketball. They never did make it as cold shooting by the Jr. Bearcats contributed to the 14 point difference at the final buzzer.

The scoring honors for Richland went to the two Cain brothers who combined for 18 of their teams to total. For Dexter, Backfish hit 10 points to pace his squad, and Burnett followed with nine.

It was the Pirates sailing to an easy victory in the late game as they easily won over the Jr. Wildcats 48-28. Parma had a slow start as they hit only 3 points to Bloomfields 7 in the first quarter. From then on, Parma took control and finally built up a 20 point lead late in the battle.

Scoring for the Pirates was divided among 3 players scoring in double figures, Gaines hit 13, Barnes 11, and Perkins 10. Bloomfields scoring came from the hands of Nelson who hit 22 of his teams 28 points.

BLOOMFIELD (28)
R. Underwood 2, Morton 2, G. Underwood 2, Nelson 22. TEAM TOTALS: FG-8; FT-12; PF-15.

PARMA (48)
Ramsey 6, Mooncrief 1, R. Perkins 10, Kirk 2, Crews 5, Barnes 11, Gaines 13. TEAM TOTALS: FG-19; FT-10; PF-18.

SCORE BY QUARTERS:				
Parma	3	14	20	11-48
Bloomfield	7	8	6	7-28

RICHLAND (34)
K. Cain 8, Hester 7, Mouser 3, C. Cain 10, Noyes 6. TEAM TOTALS: FG-15; FT-4; PF-4.

DEXTER (20)
Miller 0, Rigsby 1, Burnett 9, Denoon 0, Backfish 10. TEAM TOTALS: FG-8; FT-4; PF-12.

SCORE BY QUARTERS:				
Richland	10	7	9	8-34
Dexter	2	10	4	4-20

Semi Finals at Steele

STEELE — First round action resumed last night in the South Pemiscot Invitational Tourney, as Hayti slid past Holcomb 56-54, and Southland won the nightcap by outscoring Caruthersville 76-44.

Tonight semi- final action will find South Pemiscot meeting Cooter in the 6:30 p.m. game, and Hayti going against Southland at 8 p.m.

In the early game of the tourney, neither Holcomb nor Hayti held a decisive edge over the other team as the teams held half- time strategy. Hayti came out on the court in the 3rd quarter hot, and quickly built up a strong lead of 11 points, as they out- scored the Hornets 21-6 in the third quarter. Fighting back, the Holcomb Hornets almost scored a comeback, as they closed the gap to 2 points in the fourth quarter, but Hayti finished with 1 more bucket to take the victory 56-54.

The Indians placed two players in the double figures bracket, as Buddy Moore hit 14, and Larry Weatherspoon collected 13, to gain scoring honors.

Holcomb's scoring was led by 3 players who scored in double figures, Steve Lomax hit 17, Kenny Miller 16, and Tommy Collier collected 10 in the tough defeat for Holcomb.

The later game found Southland impressively defeating Caruthersville by a score of 76-44. Caruthersville, winless in 3 attempts, remained cold all night as the Southland Rebels hit consistently from all over the court and held an advantage in field goals and free throws. Southland improved its record to 4 wins to 1 loss, to gain a chance to face Hayti in semi-final action tonight.

For the Rebels, Ronnie Hambrick scored an impressive 23 points to pace the victory, and Ronnie Cude followed with 19, and Lambert added 11.

The scoring for Caruthersville Tigers was led by Beard who hit 14 points to lead his team and followed by teammate Malone collecting for 8.

Scoring:

SOUTHLAND (76)
Hambrick 23, Cude 19, Lambert, 11, Smith 9, Huggins 6, Beasley 6, Waits 1, Hutchens 1. TEAM TOTALS: FG-29; FT-18; PF-20.

CARUTHERSVILLE (44)
Baird 14, Malone 8, Randolph 6, Wilburn 5, Hubbard 4, Simmons 3, Sides 2, Stanley 2. TEAM TOTALS: FG-14; FT-16; PF-17.

Southland	17	16	15	28 - 76
Caruthersville	9	12	11	16 - 44

HAYTI (56)
Moore 14, Weatherspoon 13, Robinson 8, White 8, Smith 6, Grissom, 3, Belevins 2, Rodger 2. TEAM TOTALS: FG-24; FT-23; PF-14.

HOLCOMB (54)
Lomax 17, Miller 16, Collier 10, Casper 7, Allen Abbott, 4, TEAM TOTALS: FG-22; FT-10; PF-22.

Hayti	12	10	21	13 - 56
Holcomb	18	11	6	19 - 54

Results

LAST NIGHT'S RESULTS
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Puxico 74, Lilbourn 53
New Madrid 45, Bernie 36
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Advance 79, Bell City 40
Oran Invitational
East Prairie 65, I-SC 61
Scott Central 74, College High JV
Delta 60, Oran 52
Farmington Invitational
Flat River 72, Cape Central 55
Fredericktown 69, Farmington 56
South Pemiscot Invit.
Hayti 56, Holcomb 54
Southland 76, Caruthersville 44
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Greenville 60, Zalma 56
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Puxico vs. New Madrid (8:30)
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South Pemiscot vs. Cooter (6:30)
Hayti vs. Southland (8:00)
Ozark Tourney
Woodland vs. Meadow Heights (7:00)
Oak Ridge vs. Greenville (8:30)
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Delta C-7 at Osceola, Ark.
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Houston at Poplar Bluff

SATURDAY NIGHT
Dexter Jr. High Finals
Farmington Finals
Richland Finals
Ozark Finals
Salem at Poplar Bluff
Houston at Dexter

Upsets Set Finals

FARMINGTON — Two Major upsets were recorded last night in the Farmington Invitational Tournament as number one seeded Farmington and number two seeded Cape Central were knocked off. The previously undefeated Farmington Knights were shot down by Fredericktown 69-56. Flat River Central, ranked third in the week long tournament, raised their season's record to 2-1 as they defeated Cape Central 72-55.

The opening game saw Flat River go to their full- court press, which proved so effective in their opening victory over Leadwood. The Tigers just couldn't manage to hold on to the ball against the quicker Rebels, giving away the ball numerous throughout the game.

The Cape Bengals closed within three at the end of the third quarter, but then the Rebels blew the game wide open with 25 in the fourth to Cape's 11.

Terry Wisdom took the high point honors as he pumped in 27 to lead the Rebels to victory. Fred Labruyer also had a good night for the Rebels as he hit 16.

Ron Wulfers paced the Bengals with 16 against the man to man press, with David Scherer close behind with 11.

The night's second game saw the Farmington Knights topple behind the red hot shooting and constant hustle of the Fredericktown Blackcats. Two hot outside shooting guards, Steve McKinnis and Rodney Denman, accounted for fifty points of the Blackcats total of sixty- nine. McKinnis netted 24 and Denman 26 against the man to man defense imposed by the Knights of Farmington.

Eddie Dickey pumped in 19 to take the point leadership of the contest for the Knights. Six-seven Russell Weiss followed him with 13.

The final night of the tournament kicks off Saturday night at 7 p.m. as last night's victims, Farmington and Cape Central, meet in the consolation bracket and Fredericktown and Flat River Central do battle for the first place trophy at 8:30 p.m.

Scoring:

FLAT RIVER CENTRAL (72)
Wisdom 27, McMullin 10, Myers 8, Labruyer 16, Mills 2, Scott 5, Campbell 2, Ducas 2. TEAM TOTALS: FG-22; FT-28; PF-17.

CAPE CENTRAL (55)
Human 2, Jones 6, Gradner 4, Scherer 11, Wulfers 16, Gregg 10, Propst 6. TEAM TOTALS: FG-22; FT-11; PF-26.

Fat River	16	24	7	25 - 72
Cape C.	21	13	10	11 - 55

FARMINGTON (56)
Vessel 7, Dickey 19, Johnson 6, Weiss 13, Hughes 9, Baster 2, TEAM TOTALS: FG-20; FT-16; PF-15.

FREDERICKTOWN (69)
McKinnis 24, D. Stevens 4, Cameran 5, Francis 7, Denman 26, J. Stevens 3. TEAM TOTALS: FG-26; FT-17; PF-15.

Fred.	16	12	18	23 - 69
Farm.	11	15	16	14 - 56

Indians Battle At Bernie

BERNIE — The top two seeded quintets, Puxico and New Madrid, battle for the championship of the 10th Annual Bernie Invitational basketball tournament tonight at 8:30 p.m. after moving into the bout with semi- final triumphs last night. Puxico fired past Lilbourn 74-53 and New Madrid beat Bernie 45-36.

Tonight's consolation battle will pit un- seeded units Lilbourn and Bernie against each other at 7 p.m. Both moved into the semi- finals after Tuesday upsets of Parma and Matthews.

The championship battle shapes up as a individual battle of giants, Puxico's Ken Andrews (6-7) and New Madrids James Tucker (6-5) and a battle of the district's top rated quintet (New Madrid) against the ninth ranked (Puxico) Indians.

Andrews paced coach Gene Wilfong's tribe into the title match with 16 big first half points that pushed the Indians into a 37-19 halftime lead. The big Indian center ended the match with 24.

Lilbourn's only impressive quarter of the night was the fourth in which it netted 29 points while the Indians dropped in 18. The Panthers biggest led down was in the second and third quarters when it netted seven and five points respectively.

Jerome Wilderness and Tom Wells led the Panther scoring with 13 and 12 points respectively.

New Madrid cashed in 13 of 14 free throw attempts in the final quarter to move into the championship of the Bernie tournament by beating the host 45-36.

Bernie failed to cash in on its charity shots, netting only eight of 22 during the evening as both teams played tight defense.

Coach Ed Street's Mules got to within three of the Indians during the final three minutes of the game but New Madrid charity shots increased the margin. It was the second time the Indians had beaten the Mules this season, the last was after Bernie had upset Matthews... a coincidence that it happened that way again.

Tucker paced New Madrid scoring with 14 points and Dennis Wilson led Bernie with 11.

Scoring:

PUXICO (74)
Andrews 24, Taylor 5, Morris 15, Turner 4, Anthony 4, Shelton 14, Walk 6, Henderson 2. TEAM TOTALS: FG-30; FT-14; PF-18.

LILBOURN (53)
Wilderness 13, Prince 3, Wells 12, McFarron 4, Maynard 7, Wilson 2, Blair 2, Willis 4. TEAM TOTALS: FG-9; FT-15; PF-14.

Puxico	15	22	19	18 - 74
Lilbourn	12	7	5	29 - 53

NEW MADRID (45)
Ross 11, Tucker 14, Walker 8, Malone 2, Baker 8, Mann 2. TEAM TOTALS: FG-15; FT-15; PF-19.

BERNIE (36)
Botch 9, Wilson 11, Brown 6, Beckman 9, Williams 2, TEAM TOTALS: FG-14, FT-8, PF-14.

New Madrid	13	9	6	17 - 45
Bernie	6	7	8	15 - 36

Richland Title Game Saturday

ESSEX -- Saturday's championship game of the Richland High school invitational basketball tournament will pit youth against experience as Richland's young Rebels face the experienced Advance Hornets at 8:30 p.m.

Advance's precision fast break and five-man double figure scoring attack lifted the Hornets into Saturday's title bout as it crushed Bell City 79-40 last night.

Coach Ray Fisher's Richland Rebels used a big defensive effort to trim Neelyville 67-60 for its berth in the finals.

Tony Jenkins paced the Hornets five-man double figure scoring barrage with 21 as his team roared to a 41-20 halftime lead after pulling up 20-11 in the first quarter and never were threatened.

Bell City's Doug Troph scored 17 points for the Cubs high figure.

Richland fought from a 13-11 first quarter deficit behind the out-court shooting of Norman Cole, who ended the game with 24 points, and the rebounding of John Sims and Lawrence Cole. The Rebels took the win with a 24-18 final period edge as the three Sophomores led the charge.

High scoring Larry Wills fouled out of the game for Neelyville with four minutes left and 24 points to his credit. From that point the Rebs moved into the finals.

Scoring:

NEELYVILLE (60)
Wills 24, McKinley 13, Young 8, Hardin 4, Jenkins 11, Warren 3. TEAM TOTALS: FG-26; FT-8; PF-21.

RICHLAND (67)
Gaylord 5, Lawrence Cole 15, Norman Cole 24, Peters 9, Simms 14. TEAM TOTALS: FG 25; FT-17; PF-10.

SCORE BY QUARTERS:				
Richland	11	20	12	24-67
Neelyville	13	12	17	18-60

ADVANCE (70)
Tony Jenkins 21, Berrong 10, Ridings 5, Long 10, Georger 10, Daniels 15, Abernathy 4, Redman 4. TEAM TOTALS: FG-34; FT-11; PF-19.

BELL CITY (40)
J. Johnson 12, Bird 2, M. Johnson 7, Troph 17, Watson 2. TEAM TOTALS: FG-10; FT-20; PF-15.

SCORE BY QUARTERS:				
Advance	2-	21	18	20-79
Bell City	11	9	6	14-40

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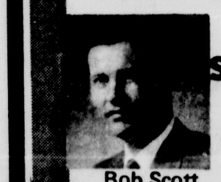


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Volkmer Says Tax Revisions to Mean Reductions for Many

KANSAS CITY (AP) — Rep. Harold L. Volkmer, D-Hannibal told a group of lawyers today the Missouri income tax revisions scheduled to become effective Jan. 1 will lower the tax of 350,000 persons in lower income tax brackets.

Volkmer was a sponsor of the bill in the Missouri Legislature and he said that more than one-third of the $106 million revenue to be generated in the next 18 months would come from corporations rather than from individuals. The corporate tax increase is from 2 per cent to 5 per cent.

The speaker called attention to revisions that would increase deductions allowed for medical expenses and for church and charitable contributions. And, he said, under the revision some small businessmen will benefit because they can elect to be taxed as individuals rather than as corporations.

Geophagy is the practice of eating earthy substances, especially clay.

Santa and the DUMBBELL

By Lucrece Beale



Synopsis: On their way to Santa Land Booby Bobby and the Ghost stop to see a puppet show. The Puppet Princess is in terrible danger. Booby Bobby wants to save her.

CHAPTER FIVE
THE CHASE

STANLEY the Ghost agreed that the Puppet Princess must be rescued from the wicked ogre who planned to wed her.

"Now is our chance," he whispered. "Before the curtain goes up for the last act."

They crept to the little stage and peered behind the curtain. The man who ran the show had gone off for a smoke. The audience, too, had turned away for the intermission. The Princess lay on the stage in a crumpled heap of strings and sticks. The ogre also lay in a heap and did not seem so dangerous anymore.

"Princess! Come with us," said Booby Bobby. "We will save you from the ogre."

The Princess opened sad dark eyes and gazed at Booby Bobby in wonder. He was the first person who had ever spoken to her as if she were real and not just a marionette on a string.

"I cannot move unless the puppeteer pulls my strings," she murmured unhappily.

"I will break the strings," said Booby Bobby. "Then you can move by yourself."

"Do you really think so? Oh, how lovely that would be!"

Booby Bobby snapped the strings tied to the puppet's feet and hands and head.

"How good it feels," breathed the Princess as Booby Bobby helped her from the stage. "I've never before moved of my own free will!"

"You must move very fast," said the Ghost. He rushed out of the square with Booby Bobby and the Princess at his heels.

The puppeteer came from around the corner where he had been having his smoke. He stared in puzzlement when he saw the Puppet Princess was missing. Then he saw the Ghost and Booby Bobby running away.



There was only a beat-up raft.

"Thief! Thief!" he shouted. "Stop them! They've stolen my puppet!" He began to give chase and all the men and women and children in the square gave chase behind him.

Panting and wheezing, the Ghost led the way out of the village, across the fields and through the forest.

"I-I can't run anymore," gasped the Princess at last. "It is harder than I thought."

Booby Bobby knelt down and ordered her to climb on his back. Then with the Princess riding piggyback, he staggered after Stanley.

They came to a wide river. Stanley said, "I've heard that there is a ferry boat here run by an elf who will take us straight to Santa Land." They looked everywhere but the only boat in sight was a beat-up raft tied to a tree. A sign on the raft said, "The ferryman has retired. This ferry doesn't run anymore."

The Ghost and Booby Bobby and the Princess looked at each other in dismay. They heard a hallooing and thrashing in the woods behind. The puppeteer came nearer and nearer screaming, "We have them cornered! They'll never get away!"

"Oh, dear," moaned the Princess. "All my life that man has made me do things I didn't want to do. Now he'll put me back on strings and I'll be just a marionette again."

"He hasn't caught us yet," said the Ghost.

He pushed Booby Bobby and the Princess on to the rickety raft, untied the rope and leaped aboard. The craft lurched away from the bank just as the puppeteer reached the shore screeching, "Here they are! We have them!"

But he was too late. The raft was spinning down the river and was already nearly out of sight.

Monday: *Adventures on a Raft*

Dear Santa

Dear Santa,
My name is Cari Carr. I am 8½ years old. For Christmas I would like a Angel Baby and a Suzie Sunshine. I would also like some Peanuts Books. And I would like an electric organ.
With Love,
Cari Carr
Sikeston, Mo.
P.S. Don't forget my cats and my teacher.

Dear Santa,
My name is Duane I am 8. For Christmas I want a snow cone maker and a drum set.
P.S. And a tape recorder and my Mother and Father, and my nephew, James.
P.S. I will have milk and cake for you.
Love Santa,
Duane Holifield
Sikeston, Mo.

Dear Santa,
My name is Kay Bisher, I am 9 years. For Christmas I would like to have a record player and some fast records, and a dancing Ballerina Doll, A Talking Julea and a Barbie case.
P.S. and please don't forget my little nephew Jamie he is 9 months old. And don't forget my Mother and Father, I will leave you some cake and milk.
Love Santa,
Kay Bisher
Sikeston, Mo.

Dear Santa,
My name is Randy Shell. I live at 410 Short Street. I go to Lee Hunter School. I am in the third grade, my teacher is Mrs. Cook.
Please bring me some heavy Tonka Trucks, a BB gun, Walkie Talkie, and Monopoly game.
Don't forget to bring all my friends and cousin Rodney some nice toys also.
I will leave you some milk and cookies.
Love and God Bless You,
Randy Shell

Dear Santa,
My name is Kim Shell. I live at 410 Short Street. I am in the first grade at Lee Hunter School, my teacher is Mrs. Bennett.
I would like a Swingy Doll, Suzy Homemaker, Dollhouse and a Limbo game.
Santa, please remember to bring all my friends and little nephew, Chris, lots of nice toys. Santa, I will leave you some milk and cookies on the table.
Love & God Bless You,
Kim Shell

Dear Santa,
My name is Chris Taylor, I am ten months old, so my Mom is writing for me. I live at 405 Short St. Sikeston, Mo. I would like a Rocking horse, cowboy boots, a teddy bear and anything else you want to bring me. I have been a good boy. Please remember my grandma's and grandpa's and Aunt Kim and Uncles Dennis and Randy and all the other little boys and girls. There will be cookies and milk for you.
God Bless You,
Love,
Chris Taylor

Hi Santa,
I am a 5 year old. I have been a good boy this year. My name is Greg. I would like to have a Hot Wheels, a guitar and anything else you would like for me. Don't forget my cousin Scott Riley he would like a guitar, too.
Hope to see you soon. I think you're swell Santa.
Bye,
Greg Crawford
East Prairie, Mo.

Dear Santa Claus,
I am a little girl 7 years old. Would like for you to bring me a watch, some clothes and Candy. Also a snow sled, and don't forget my cousin, also my Grandpa Nichols of Crowder, Mo.
I have a sister who would like some nice things too.
Marlene Wise
4422 State St. No. 23
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Dear Santa Claus,
I am a girl 11 years old.
Would like for you to bring me a tape recorder, some clothes and candy.
Also a snow sled and don't forget my Grandpa Nichols of Crowder, Mo. also my cousins.
I have a sister who would like some nice things too.
Charlotte Wise
4422 State St. No. 23
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Dear Santa,
My name is Larry Childers, I am 6 years old and for Christmas I want a Big Wheels, some guns, a Hot Wheels track, and some little cars. My brother John wants a play tool chest, and a chalkboard and peg table, and a Tonka mobil
Larry & John Childers
211 Edwards St.
Sikeston, Mo. 63801

Dear Santa,
My name is Debra Dorris. I am ten years old. For Christmas I would like a talking Barbie, roller skates, Pepsi Cola Dispenser, assorted handbag, horn, record player, watch, and a bike. I have been a pretty good girl this year. Please don't forget about children all over the world, especially Mom and Dad.
Deborah Dorris
179 Presnell Drive
Sikeston, Mo. 63801

Dear Santa,
My name is Kim Dorris. I am seven years old. For Christmas I would like a horn, a Drinkee Baby, Baby Throw A Kiss, and a snappy dog. I will leave some cookies and milk on the table.
Kim Dorris
179 Presnell Dr.
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Dear Santa,
My name is Donna Jean Lennon. I am 10 years old, and for Christmas I would like for you to bring me a View Master, a record, Sugar Sugar by the Archies and some story books. Don't forget my playmates, Pamela Maxwell, Nancy Sweet Sheila Sweet, Cheryl Hardgrave, they will be waiting for you. I go to school and I sure have a nice Teacher her name is Mary Jane Lathum please bring her something real nice.
I'll go to bed early and I won't peep.
Donna Jean Lennon
New Madrid, Mo.
Route 1.

Dear Santa,
My name is Ricky Landers. I am 3 years old. I have been a good boy this year. My babysitter is writing this for me, since I'm too young to write it myself. Santa, for Christmas, I wish you would bring me a tractor, a car, and whatever else you would like for me to have. Please bring me some candy, apples, and nuts. Please also bring me a stick horse. Don't forget all the other boys and girls all over the world. Don't forget my Mommy and Daddy and also my Babysitter and her Mother. There will be cookies and a Coke for you under my tree.
Merry Christmas Santa,
Ricky Landers
Canalou, Mo.
63828

Dear Santa,
My name is Johnny Standridge. I am 4 years old and have been a pretty good boy. I would like for you to bring me a combine, with a corn header. That's what I really would like to have. I need a trailer to go behind my tractor to catch my beans in. I have a little sister Sandra Lynn, she is 1 year old. Please bring her a telephone that talks and we both would like a Jack-in- the- box. That's all we would like but if you care to bring anything else, Thank You. We will see you all Christmas morning. Please don't forget my cousins all of them. Oh! Yes, a dirt scoop.
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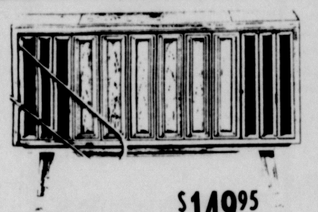
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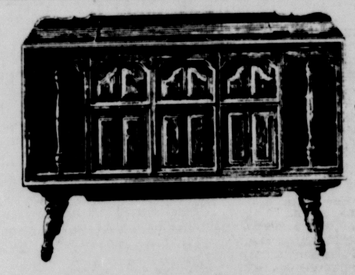
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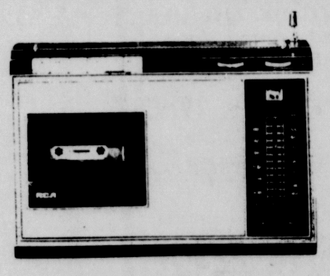
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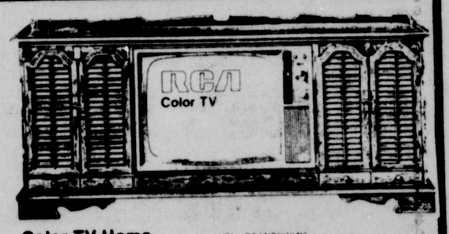
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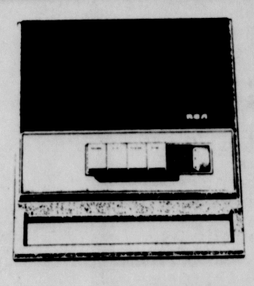
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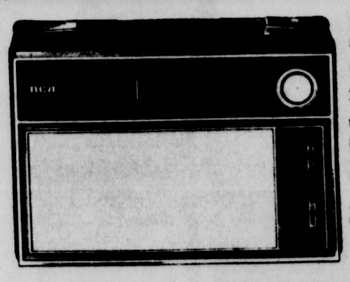
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Tight Money Bringing Out Sharks

Money is so scarce now that some businesses are literally having to submit to demands on profits or property in order to get loans.

Take the recent case of Bermec Corp., a company listed on the New York Stock Exchange.

In order to borrow $3 million from an insurance company to save the Black Watch Farms, Inc., division of Bermec from bankruptcy, Bermec's chairman Herman L. Meckler had to sell a half interest in Black Watch Farms to the insurance company for $1, and pay 10 per cent as well on the $3 million loan.

Telling of the conditions that prevail in today's money market, Meckler said, "We had a choice of borrowing money under these terms or seeing imminent bankruptcy for Black Watch."

"If they had insisted they wanted all of Black Watch for the $3 million loan, I would have given it to them - with the consent of the board of directors," he added.

This is what the tight money policy is sometimes leading to. Bermec's case is not an isolated example.

Meckler said this "humiliating experience" resulted from a combination of high interest rates and the scarcity of money which hurt Bermec's truck- leasing business as well as Black Watch's ability to get working capital. Black Watch's sales were hurt by uncertainty about the proposed tax- reform legislation that could affect the current favorable treatment of owners of breeding cattle.

In the past year, according to The Wall Street Journal, the practice of forcing borrowers to grant lenders a share of profits (but not losses) a percentage of rents and clauses that can raise interest rates has become widespread.

Thus we see that the "stabilization" the government seeks to bring about, by allowing excessive interest rates and tight money, actually is pushing some businesses to the wall. - St. Louis Globe Democrat.



OFFICERS OF THE BLUE BLAZERS at Charleston high school, from left, are President Mary Gordon; Vice-President Carolyn Lane; Secretary Helen Worthy; Treasurer Teresa Blanchard and Reporter Dorothy Harris.

Top Defense Cut Since Korean War End Pushed

WASHINGTON (AP) — A $69.96 billion defense appropriation that makes the biggest cut in military money since the end of the Korea war was approved Wednesday by the House Appropriations Committee.

The bill knocks $5.32 billion off President Nixon's original $75.28 billion request, to bring military spending in line with cuts announced by Secretary of Defense Melvin R. Laird.

The bill contains all $779.4 million asked to begin deploying the controversial Safeguard antimissile systen but makes wholesale cuts—$3.82 billion worth—in other weapons programs.

It urges abandonment of the costly and ultrasophisticated Main Battle Tank 70 program as a joint U.S.-West German venture and says a U.S. tank should be designed that would cost one third the nearly $1 million-per-tank now estimated for the MBT 70.

It cuts $2 million for biological weapons in direct response to Nixon's announcement the United States will no longer stockpile them, and makes other unspecified gas warfare cuts of $10.5 million.

The House is expected to pass the bill early next week and send it to the Senate.

The $5.32 billion slice, the committee said in a report, is the largest since 1954 when the committee trimmed $6.3 billion in the wake of the cease-fire in Korea.

Further U.S. troop withdrawals from Vietnam could lead to new cuts this year, the committee said, but it has deleted no funds on that basis.

"The enemy could again escalate the intensity of combat," it said, "and the committee does not want American forces to be placed in jeopardy by shortages of needed supplies and equipment if this should occur."

The committee, headed by Rep. George H. Mahon, D-Tex., attributes $483.5 million of the cut directly to reductions in Vietnam war costs—$302.3 million in reduced Air Force munitions and equipment and $181.2 million in troop withdrawals— but sets out no over-all money figure for waging the conflict.

Laird told the committee two weeks ago the war's cost had dropped to $23.2 billion this year compared to $28.8 billion last.

The committee denies production funds for the Navy's F14 jetfighter and the Air Force's Short Range Attack Missile, saying they need more research and development before going on the line.

It approved an unrequested $152 million for three, not two, nuclear attack submarines—the only funds approved from the $1 billion the House tacked on to an authorization bill for Navy ship modernization.

The bill also calls for a $7.7 million slice off the military's Pentagon and headquarters staffs which the committee called "top heavy" and a $2.4 million reduction in military public relations personnel.

The $69.96 billion money bill is $4.4 billion below the $74.4 billion Congress approved for the military last year.

The bill contains all defense money for the fiscal year starting last July 1 except construction at militar bases, U.S. military assistance to countries not involved in the Vietnam war and minor items contained in other money bills.

New Mideast Plan Sent Out by U.S.

WASHINGTON (AP) — The Nixon administration will make a major effort to get Israel to follow a new U.S. peace plan for the Middle East, but only if the Soviet Union accepts the proposal first, according to high ranking officials.

But, the sources say, chances of a Soviet okay are slim. In any event some officials believe no definite answer to the American proposals will come before the December 20 summit conference of Arab heads of state.

In an extensive review on the eve of the resumption in New York of Big Four consultations on the Middle East, the officials summed up the new U.S. proposal, handed to Soviet ambassador Anatoly F. Dobrynin Oct. 28, as follows:

—Israel should withdraw behind its pre-1967 borders with Egypt in exchange for Cairo's "binding committment" to establish peace with Tel Aviv—and to keep it.

—Both sides also would commit themselves to start talks with each other on the basis of the so-called Rhodes formula on "practical security arrangements" regarding the Gaza Strip and Sharm El Sheikh, the strong point guarding the entrance to the Strait of Tiran and the Gulf of Aqaba.

The Rhodes formula, applied in the 1949 Arab-Israeli armistice talks on the Greek island of Rhodes, means that representatives of the two beligerents would be under one roof but would talk to each other indirectly through a mediator.

Persuading Israel to adhere to the plan will be a difficult task, officials acknowledge, but there is no point in trying before the Russians accept it, which would also mean Egypt's acceptance.

Despite the negative and often bellicose noises from Cairo and the month-long silence in Moscow the United States does not consider its plan rejected.

The Soviets are usually quick in saying a terse "nyet" if something does not please them. The month long delay might mean Moscow is still bargaining with Cairo on how to answer the U.S. proposal, informants believe. Accordingly there is no pressing concern here over the delay.

It will be surprising, though, if President Gambel Abdul Nasser would give up his current rigid attitude before the Arab nations that have subsidized his country since the 1967 war and he probably believes only by displaying a firm stance can he hope for increased funds. "But he did not close the door" to the U.S. plan, informants stressed.

$262,815 Paid Out For Welfare

NEW MADRID - County recipients of assistance from funds disbursed by the New Madrid county welfare office for November were paid $262,815.19. The greatest part of that amount going to those on the old age assistance list of the welfare agency.

John M. Underwood, Sr., director, reported there were 1525 on the old age assistance rolls and they received $112,272.00. The average checks was $73.62.

A total of 638 families with 1,853 children received $72,274 in the aid to dependent children category and received an average of $113.28 per family check.

Two hundred and forty-two persons received Permanent and total disability assistance totalling $17,542 and the average check was $72.49.

The county had 81 persons on the aid for the blind list and each received $90 per month for $7,290.00.

From general relief funds 261 families of 275 persons received $17,989.00 or an average check of $65.41.

$35,045.63 was expended under the Vendor Programs for all categories of assistance. These were the hospital, and nursing home vendor Programs.

There were 69 children under child welfare supervision.

Services were given to 69 children and service was completed to 25 children, leaving a caseload of 44 at the end of the month. Of these children now being given services, 30 are in the homes of their parents or residing with relatives, eight are in foster boarding homes, four are in adoptive homes, and 2 are in non-relative homes.

Amount spent for room and board, clothing, medicine, dental care, and incidentals for the children under child welfare supervision from the county court was $201.28. Amount expended from state boarding funds was $201.28.

Hoxworth Director of Health Center

PORTAGEVILLE — David Hoxworth, son of Mr. and Mrs. L. D. Hoxworth, and son in law of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Rendleman, Cobden, Ill., was appointed executive director of the new Jefferson County Mental Health Center, Mt. Vernon Ill.

Hoxworth graduated from Warden high school. He received his Bachelor of Arts from Southern Illinois University, Carbondale, and his masters of social work from Washington University, St. Louis, Mo.

Hoxworth's previous experience includes experience in a child guidance clinic. St. Louis, Wyoming State Hospital, Evanston, and the Comprehensive Mental Health Center, Quincy, Ill, where he was coordinator of a new suicide prevention center. Hoxworth has had professional publications which include articles on group therapy and suicide prevention, and recently had a "Casebook" presentation in the December 1969 issue of Psychology Today.

Hoxworth, his wife Alice, and two children, Michael Age 2, and Brian, age 3 months will make their new home at 2905 Jamison Blvd., Mt. Vernon, Ill.

Settings- Circ. Court

BENTON: These cases will be heard here during the coming week:

Monday, Dec. 8, 1969: Fern Bollinger vs. C. L. Medlin, DAMAGES; Margaret L. Grissom vs. R. G. Long, et al, PERSONAL INJURIES; Avis Lane vs. Dolph Webb, Jr., PUNITIVE DAMAGES.

Thursday, Dec. 11, 1969: F. D. Bickings vs. Faye M. Bickings, DIVORCE. Wanda Jean Copeland vs. Richardson Copeland, DIVORCE.

GO TO CHURCH SUNDAY

Missourian Auctions 35th ILSE Champion

CHICAGO (AP) — When Roy G. Johnston stepped before a microphone Tuesday night to start the auctioning of the grand champion steer at the International Live Stock Exposition the action marked his 35th and final year of selling the champion.

The grand champion steer brought its young owner a $15,000 start on financing his way through college. Brad Lindskog,11, of Prophetstown, Ill., thought the $12 a pound for his 1,265 - pound Charolais - Angus crossbred was "pretty good." The animal was purchased by the Chicago Mercantile Exchange.

Johnston, 71, of Raymore, Mo., a familiar figure at the nation's major livestock shows, has been selling the grand champion steer at the big Chicago farm show since 1934.

He said he plans to retire as an auctioneer on his 72nd birthday, June 29, 1970, but will continue active as a cattleman.

Johnston and his wife, Jeane, live on a 1,200-acre farm near Raymore, where they have a herd of 100 registered Angus cows and market about 1,200 steers a year.

Johnston, who has been auctioning livestock for more than 50 years, said he got into the business as a youngster while working on a Missouri farm. The farmer was a part-time auctioneer, Johnston said, and he learned the art of selling livestock from him.

Johnston, whose trademark is a flashy diamond tiepin, estimated he has been the auctioneer at "several thousand" livestock shows during his long career.

In addition to the International, he has sold champion farm stock at major shows in Kansas City, Denver, Omaha, Dallas, Fort Worth, Oklahoma City, Tulsa and elsewhere.

Johnston was the auctioneer in the 1930s at the American Royal Livestock Show when the champion steer of the show brought $35.50 a pound, he world record.

He also was the auctioneer at the International in 1957 when the grand champion steer was sold for $30 a pound, second highest price ever paid for a steer anywhere. That steer, a Hereford, brought a total of $30,050.

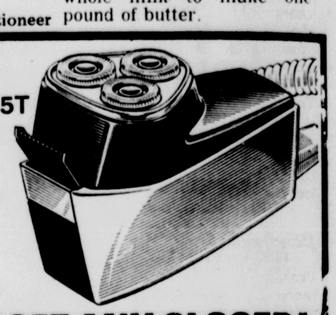
Referring to his years of selling the International's grand champion, Johnston said: "I think this sale has been the highlight of my career. This is the granddaddy of all the finished product shows."

Johnston himself won eight blue ribbons in successive years of competition in the late 40s and early 5s .n carlot cattle at the Chicago show. In 1961, he showed the champion carlot of Angus cattle at the American Royal.

Johnston's farm formerly had a postal address of Belton but a recent change put it in Raymore jurisdiction.

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I will leave some candy, to eat Christmas Eve.
Wayne Hahn
P.S. I love you, Santa.

Dear Santa,
My name is Phyllis. I am 9 years old. I live at Morehouse, Mo. I have been a good girl this year. Here is a list of what I want. A operation game, View Master, Doll House, Baby Doll.
Your Friend
Phyllis Parks
P.S. Don't forget all the other little children.

Dear Santa,
My name is Phillip. I live in Morehouse, Mo. Here is a list of the things I want: Might Mike, Camera, watch and ring, gun.
Yours truly,
Phillip Parks

Dear Santa,
My name is Scottie. I am 6 years old. I live in Morehouse, Mo. I have been very good this year. Here is a list of what I want:
Hot Wheels, B.B. Gun, Transport truck, and a dragline.
Yours Truly,
Scottie Parks
P.S. Don't forget Mommy and Daddy. There will be milk and cookies.

Dear Santa
I am a little boy 7 years old. I'm in the first grade. I want a record player and records, drum, guitar and race set. Also nuts, candy and fruit. Your friend, Wayne Rudisill Matthews, Mo.

Dear Santa
My name is Margaret Beth. I live at Morley. Please bring me a Buffy doll & Hot Wheels car. Dishes and rollar siates and doll house. Remember my sister Lisa and my brother Russell.
Love,
Margaret Gregory
Morley, Mo.

Dear Santa
My name is Debbie Duke, I am 9 years old.
For Christmas I would like a Swingy, Barbie clothes, and a Mrs. Beasley, and Santa please bring all of the little boys and girls what they want. Thank you,
Your friend
Debbie Drake



FUTURE NURSES CLUB officers at Charleston high school are from left, President Cheryll Grant; Vice-President Carolyn Lane; Secretary Gloria Butler; Reporter Bernice Grisson.

P.S. I will leave you some milk and cookies on the table.

Dear Santa,
I want a Hot Wheels Stunt Action Set for Christmas. Also A Johnny West, and Robby the Robot, and a bat car that sounds like a jet. I'd like to have a major Matt Mason set too.
I have been a pretty good boy this year. My mama said so.
My name is Mark Ramsey.

Dear Santa,
Please bring me a Space Set, a Johnny West with horse and wagon, a Tin Man Robot, a gun and holster and sheriff's badge. I would also like to have a projector and Kaboom.
I know I can't have all of these things so bring me what you can. Bust most of all I want the Projector. Your Friend.
Todd Ramsey
P.S. Don't forget my cousins Scott and Rodney, Jeff, Angie and Kim. And my cousins in Michigan, Terry, Jerry, Tammy, Ricky and David and Kevin.

Dear Santa,
I would like a farm set and a pair of boots and a guitar, live stock van, volkswagon. I live at Bell City, Mo. Rt. 1, Box 94 63735. Michael Jay Ramsey

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Dear Santa,
I want a double dare hot wheels set and a hot wheels action city and 4 hot wheels cars. A Matt Mason set and some Legos a Western World, A Johnny West. My name is Greg Ramsey, I live in Bell City, Mo.
P.S. a farm set and a truck terminal and a construction set and a funny pumper, Leapin Letters and Sorry Hide and Seek and a Bamm-bamm Punching Clown.

Dear Santa,
Here it is Christmas again and I knew you would want to know what I want this year. I've moved since last year so don't do to the wrong house, please? I've been a good girl again this year as I've always been in the past. I'm going to kindegarten, but we haven't learned to write yet so mommy is writing for me. I want a Cheerful- Tearful baby doll, talking Barbies, some doll clothes, a portable record player, and a clock to help teach me the time. I would also like an easy-bake oven and a new dress. Please, don't forget my little uncles who are 8 years and two years old. Also my cousins and all my little friends. Thank you Santa for remembering all the little boys and girls with the toys they ask for. Oh yes, if I haven't listed something you know I would like just bring it on. Love and surprises! Thank you, Kathy Christie 909 Alexander Sikeston, Mo. 63801
P.S. I'll leave you something to eat in the diningroom.

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20 Marriages Recorded

NEW MADRID - Twenty marriages were recorded in November in the office of George D. Boone, recorder:

J. D. Benton, 35, and Peggy Ferrell, 32, both of Stockton, Calif., married in Qulin by the Rev. O. L. Cox.

Richard Allen Jamison, 23, Caruthersville, and Carolyn Jeanette Mace, 19, Lilbourn, married in New Madrid by the Rev. Robert Burnes.

Roger Dale Ernsperger, 21, and Millie Marie Stafford, 23, both of Niles, Mich., married in New Madrid by the Rev. Robert Burnes.

Hosea Morrow, 31, and Mary Canady, 23, both of New Madrid, married in New Madrid by the Rev. E. L. Johnson.

Paul E. Barnes Jr., 19, Canalou and Phyllis Kay Lackey, 18, Morehouse, married in Morehouse by the Rev. W. H. Worth.

Lyndal Gene Cobb, 23, route one, Parma and Deborah Sue Gulledge, 16, East Prairie, married in Dexter by the Rev. Fred McKnight.

Sammy Lee Robbins, 21, and Flora Neeley, 27, both of Marston, married in Marston by the Rev. Ronald D. Riley.

Roy L. Smith, 74, and Gladys French, 51, both of Portageville, married in Portageville by the Rev. L. E. Butler.

Cary Dewayne Prince, 18, Marston and Dennis Blankenship, 18, Catron, married in Lilbourn by the Rev. Clayde Stone Jr.

J. C. Peacock III, 27, Fernandian Beach, Fla. and Cecelia Jeffords, 18, Marston, married in Marston by the Rev. Ronald D. Riley.

Ronnie Roland Ramage, 18, Marston, and Carolyn Anne Swain, 20, Lilbourn, married in New Madrid by the Rev. W. Paul Walden.

Eddie Alfred Clark, 22, and Karen Jean Burnes, 16, both of New Madrid, married in New Madrid by the Rev. Robert Burnes.

Joe E. Johnson, 26, and Janet Archie, 19, both of Gideon, married in Clarkton by the Rev. Elvin E. Graham.

Lonnie Polk, 17, and Sheila Burch, 19, both of Matthews, married in Matthews by the Rev. Raymond Myrick.

Jackie Eugene Vires, 27, and Janiece Vires, 21, both of Portageville, married in Portageville by the Rev. L. E. Butler.

Billy R. Beck, 25, and Sharon E. Haley, 17, both of Morehouse, married in Cape Girardeau by the Rev. D. T. Holland.

Robert L. C. Stultz, 25, and Gladys M. Moore, 33, both of Malden, married in New Madrid by Leo Hedgepeth, magistrate judge.

Doyle Wilburn Pettigrew, 20, Bragg City, and Hazel LaVerne Gaskins, 17, route one, Parma, married in New Madrid by Leo Hedgepeth, magistrate judge.

James David Long, 22, and Nancy Kay Patterson, 18, both of Parma, married in Marston by the Rev. Ronald D. Riley.

Lee Meltion Wilson, 26, and Joyce Marie Brown, 20, both of Portageville, married in Portageville by the Rev. Franklin G. Lowe.

Magistrate Court

BENTON: Court convened at 9:00 o'clock A.M. Officers present,
Hon. M.E. Montgomery, Judge and presiding
James E. Moore III, Assistant Prosecuting Attorney
John Dennis, Sheriff
Jack Stewart, Deputy Sheriff
Cletus Kluesner Deputy Sheriff
Josephine Klipfel, Magistrate Clerk

CRIMINAL CASES
IMPROPER REGISTRATION

Gary Lyn Dover, Defendant enters plea of guilty and punishment is fixed a a fine of $5.00. David Sims, Defendant failing to appear, Capias is ordered

PEACE DISTURBANCE

Dennis Blankenship, Defendant enters plea of guilty and punishment is fixed at a fine of $25.00 and costs and 60 days in jail and committed. The fine and costs being paid in full, jail sentence is stayed during good behavior.

HUNTING FUR BEARING ANIMALS DURING CLOSED SEASON

Larry J. Dannenmueller, Defendant enters plea of guilty and punishment is fixed at a fine of $5.00 and costs.

NO OPERATORS LICENSE

West Upchurch, The costs having been paid in full and $20.00 being paid on the fine, balance of the fine is stayed during good behavior.

MURDER

Ora Lee Hodge, Continued to First of December and set for prelimenary hearing.

CHEAT AND DEFRAND BY MEANS OF TRICK OR DECEPTION

Marvin Florence, continued to last of November at Sikeston, Missouri, to give the defendant time to procure legal advice.

CIVIL CASES
ACTION ON A NOTE

Universal C. I. T. Credit Corp. v. Jimmie Williams, Continued to first of December by agreement.

ACTION ON ACCOUNT

B. & H. Auto Supply, A Missouri Corp. v. Edward Hicks d/b/s Hicks Garage and Welding Shop, Judgement by default for Plaintiff in open account for $390.90 and costs.

OLDHAM, Lancashire, England (AP) — Jacqueline Kemp, 17, admitted having had 10 pints of beer, five bottles of champagne perry (pear cider) and "a lot more to drink" on the day she shouted at a policeman. She was fined 2 pounds (4.80 dollars) for using obscene language.

Pastore FCC Bill Opposed

WASHINGTON (AP) — The American Civil Liberties Union said Wednesday a bill by Sen. John O. Pastore, D-R.I., would deprive the Federal Communications Commission of its most effective tool for controlling use of the airways.

"That tool is competition for license," John Pemberton, executive director of the ACLU, said in testimony for the Senate Commerce Committee's communications subcommittee.

Pastore, the subcommittee chairman, said the attempt and the effect of his bill was being completely misinterpreted by opponents.

Under his bill, the FCC would have to decide not to renew a radio or television station's license before considering other applicants for the broadcasting channel. Licenses are up for renewal every three years.

Pastore said his bill would open hearings on license renewal to complaints from the little people who can't afford the cost of competing for radio or television stations.

In comparative hearings between competing applicants, he said, "It is the case of the wealthy fighting the wealthy."

He said applicants seeking to displace a license are not speaking for the black community or other community groups "but their own pocketbooks."

"I want this mass of the people to come in at the time of renewal applications," he said, adding that if the FCC finds their complaints justified it should refuse to renew a station's license and then accept other applications for the time.

"We're in total sympathy with the objective you have stated but we think your bill will defeat them," Pemberton said.

He maintained that, without competing applications for license up for renewal, the FCC "will be nearly powerless to influence the use of the public airways in a manner suited to meet the public's needs."

The National Association of Broadcast Employes and Technicians, AFL-CIO, supported the bill, saying that better public service by broadcasters cannot be achieved by opening the door "to the triumph of promise over performance."

Dr. David Poling, president of the Christian Herald Magazine, also urged passage of the bill, as did the Rev. David N. Liconish, associate minister of the Abyssinian Baptist Church in Harlem.

Poling said the bill would protect stations from "unjustified threats and unwarranted intimidations by tiny but well fueled dissident groups."

But the Rev. Dr. Everett C. Barker of the United Church of Christ urged defeat of the bill. He said competing applications serve a self-policing function. He said he was speaking as an individual because his church had been warned it might lose its tax-exempt status if it took a stand on legislation.

Also opposing the bill was David L. Ratzka of the United Christian Missionery Society.

"With the elimination of challenges for licenses," he said, "one of the most effective incentives to improve station performance will be removed."

Thanksgiving Guests

MATTHEWS — Miss Selma Gruen of Alton, Il.; Marcus Koch and family; Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Gruen; Nelson Gruen and family; Dale Geske and family; and William Gruen were Thanksgiving Day guests at a family dinner at the home of Mrs. Fred Geske in Sikeston, Thursday.

Edward Elgar's "Pomp and Circumstance" marches were written for the coronation exercises of King Edward VII of England in 1901.



Reasons Sound for Going Slow on 'Nixon Doctrine'

By BRUCE BIOSSAT
NEA Washington Correspondent

WASHINGTON (NEA)

President Nixon, by the word of some of his perceptive associates, has two main reasons for feeling his way slowly toward his declared "major shift" in U.S. foreign policy. The shift: To end our fighting in Vietnam and do less everywhere in the world.

Naturally, the critical and the wary voice skepticism about the President's intentions in Vietnam and elsewhere. Some detractors admit to an unshakable distrust of Nixon, the man. Some worry goes to the fact that he long was seen as aggressively committed to a high U.S. military profile in the cold war and later struggles against communism.

Some leading Democrats and other critics justify their doubts over Nixon by contending he is above all a political man—and therefore will not really move far from what not long ago was deemed the largely hawkish view of world affairs held by most in his own Republican party.

But the whole theme underlying the proposed worldwide pullback he laid out to newsmen in Guam on July 25 represents two key things:

His evident personal conviction that the "high profile" approach is wrong for the years ahead.

His unmistakably political judgment that the national mood is deeply changed, that there are very few true hawks left in this country, that most Americans who once supported the "high profile" approach and its military tone are utterly disillusioned with it—largely because of the human cost and seeming futility of our big role in Vietnam.

His Guam doctrine makes clear repeatedly that he would retain for America in Asia, Europe and elsewhere a role of great influence befitting our unmatched power.

To the extent the President has withdrawn any U.S. troops at all without waiting for a negotiated or other withdrawal of North Vietnamese troops, he is ahead of any responsible dove position voiced in 1968.

He is there, and in the view of many hard-headed appraisers is embarked irreversibly on a unilateral withdrawal course, because he and another political animal, Secretary of Defense Melvin Laird, clearly perceive the altered mood of the nation's adult voting majority.

Why, then, go slow, especially when the militant antiwar young and the established, adult antiwar liberals command greater speed?

In fairness, even the skeptics must listen to the arguments the President's knowledgeable associates advance.

One reason, they say, is that he is deeply concerned that the kind of general world pullback the "Nixon doctrine" of Guam calls for, involving severe reductions of manpower and money outlay for our overseas presence, could stun some of our allies—particularly in Europe.

The second reason is that, convinced though he be that a national majority which once backed the Vietnam war and a high U.S. profile everywhere is now sick of it all, Nixon is somewhat unsure of the full extent of that change and how the new mood should be met.

Liberty Hotel Corp. Declared Bankrupt

ST. LOUIS (AP) — The Liberty Hotel Corp., was decoared bankrupt Wednesday by U.S. Dist. Court Judge James H. Meredith.

The Corporation formerly operated Ben Franklin Hotel in downtown St. Louis.

The bankruptcy judgment came as a result of petitions by three meat suppliers for payment of more than $8,000 in back bills. A statement by Fred Monterubio, president of Liberty Hotel, saying the firm could not pay its debts, was filed by the creditors.

The Ben Franklin Hotel's financial problems were worsened last spring when a mechanical breakdown at an adjacent automatic parking garage kept 44 automobiles trapped for more than a month.

The hotel had to pay transportation of guests stranded because they could not get their cars and reimbursed other motorists for the loss of their vehicles.

Nixon Issues Special Session Threat

WASHINGTON (AP) — President Nixon threatened today to call Congress back into special session Dec. 26 unless it acts on all appropriation measures before adjourning later this month, Republican leaders said.

Sen. Hugh Scott of Pennsylvania and Rep. Gerald R. Ford of Michigan related the President's threat following the weekly Republican leadership meeting with Nixon at the White House.

The witch hazel shrub has jointed, curving branches that twist and point in all directions. The forked twigs have been used for divining rods and its name comes from this.

Swope Bound Over On Assault Charge

CHARLESTON---Cases heard in magistrate court by Judge Tom Brown, Jr. from Nov. 22 through Tuesday:

Henry L. Swope charged with felonious assault, bound over to circuit court to appear Tuesday or such date at the court may set.

Billy Joe Garrett, alias, Bobby Hoe Garrett, charged with stealing, received a thirty day jail sentence.

Gruce Jones, charged with contributing to the deliquency of a minor, was released from confinement with condition of parole of Oct. 9 to remain effective.

Sharon Hatton, charged with uttering and passing check with intent to defraud; cause dismissed by state at cost to the defendant.

Careless and reckless driving charges brought a $5 fine, $11 cost to Zan Dorr Coots. Robert Lee Thurman paid a $10 fine plus $11 costs on a similar charge.

James Mitchell and Charles Ray Gerner each paid a total of $26 fines and costs on careless and imprudent driving charges.

Speeding charges brought the following fines and costs to Edna Ruth Cook, $10, plus $11; Larry David Willisams, $13, plus $11; James Edward Eaves, $19, plus $11; Hubert Levern Simpson, $5, plus $12; and David Junior Dixon, $11, plus $11 costs.

Robert Louis Andrews paid a $100 fine and $18.50 costs for driving while intoxicated and W.C. Johnson paid a $100 fine and costs of $13 for a similar charge.

A disturbing the peace charge was dismissed against Bobby Dale Kestner at cost to the defendant of $9.50.

A prelimenary hearing was set for Dec. 11 for James Richard Davis, charged with stealing. A $1500 bond continues in effect.

Bobby Dale Kentner, first count-excessly loud and noisy muffler; second count, failure to transfer license; a $10 fine was assessed on first count and $5 fine on second count and $11 court cost.

Winchester Chevrolet Co. vs. Rex Burney; suit on installment contract and account was dismissed by plaintiff with prejudice.

First Federal Saving and Loan of Cape Girardeau vs. James R. Rodgers and Eveline Rodgers; suit for recovery of possession of property for nonpayment of rent was ordered dismissed by court; said cause was dismissed by plaintiff with prejudice.

A plaque in the floor of the Capitol's Statuary Hall marks the spot where John Quincy Adams was stricken in 1[illegible]

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Harold Puruis, manager of Saddle and Spur Mobile Homes, tells Susan Dawson, December Calendar Girl, about the kitchen features of a beautiful Boanza Mobile Home. Boanza homes are carefully planned to take full advantage of all available floor space. Every home is comfortable, modern and convenient in design, and individual tastes are considered by offering a wide selection of interior decors.

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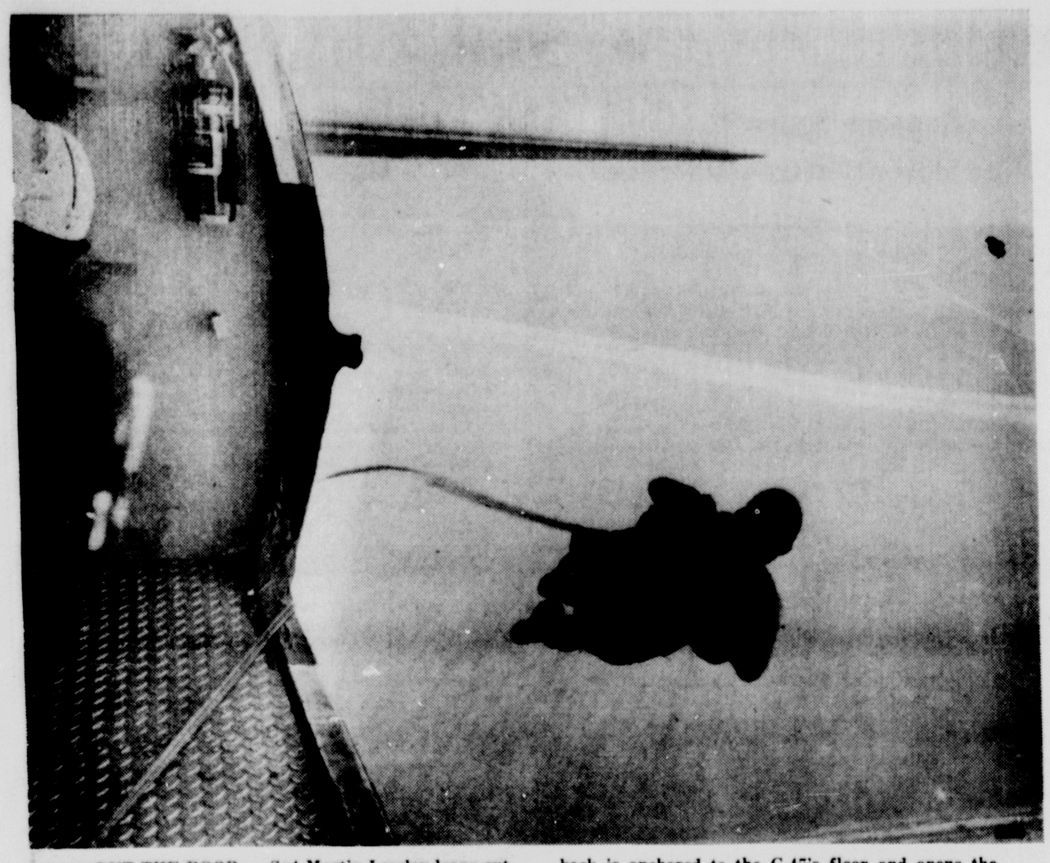


Mr. Don C. Glover, minister of the church, will show color slides of the three-weeks' tour that took him to Egypt, Lebanon, Cyprus, Israel, Turkey (ancient Asia Minor), Greece, Rome, and London.
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Practice Jumps Keep Army Paratroopers Proficient



OUT THE DOOR — Sp4 Martin Lessley leaps out the door of an Army C-47 aircraft over the drop zone. The static line attached to Specialist Lessley's back is anchored to the C-47's floor and opens the parachute. Specialist Lessley is from National City, Calif.

A Practice Jump With A Sharpe Army Depot Unit

Just as marksmen must practice shooting, so must the all-paratrooper Airborne Equipment Detachment at Sharpe Army Depot, Lathrop, Calif., practice parachute jumping.

Once each month this small, 10-soldier unit boards an Army C-47 aircraft and takes off to make a practice jump. As airborne-qualified soldiers, the men are required to make the jump to maintain their proficiency as paratroopers.

The soldiers have attended jump school at either Fort Bragg, N.C., or Fort Benning, Ga. There are several Vietnam veterans in the group. All of the enlisted men in the unit work at the depot as parachute riggers. All pack their own parachutes for the jumps.

As the C-47 approaches the drop zone (DZ), the good-natured joking fades, and one by one the skytroopers drop out of the conversation.

The pilot makes a "dry run" over the DZ to determine the direction of wind currents.

On the next pass over the DZ, the paratroopers, after receiving the green light, jump out the door of the C-47. Soon the sky is dotted with paratroopers drifting smoothly toward the earth. For these airborne soldiers, the return trip to earth is an exhilarating, sensational experience.

After reaching the ground, the paratrooper then stands by to watch the performance of the men still descending. The paratroopers do not hesitate to point out errors in each other's form or technique.

Enroute back to Sharpe, the men agree it was a "good jump." They know that making a good jump takes practice. So in another month, these airborne soldiers will board the C-47 again. (ANF)



NEARING THE DROP ZONE—Pilot Billie Jackson gives the "thumb's up" signal notifying jumpers that they are nearing the drop zone. Jackson, from Manteca, Calif., is a civilian test pilot employed at Sharpe Army Depot.



SOFT LANDING — Sfc Phillip Hanes touches ground while three members of the Airborne Equipment Detachment study the landing. Still floating down is Sp5 Robert Ashford, Terral, Okla. Sergeant Hanes is from Claremore, Okla. The elliptical-shaped hole in the chute helps paratroopers maneuver during descent.



"CHUTING UP" — Soldiers of Sharpe Army Depot's Airborne Equipment Detachment use the "buddy system" to check each other's straps and parachutes before boarding an Army C-47 aircraft for their monthly practice jump. The jumpers are, from left, Sp5 Robert Ashford, Terral, Okla.; Sp4 Martin Lessley, National City, Calif.; Sfc Lewis Fowler, Otoka, Okla.; Sfc Phillip Hanes, Claremore, Okla.; Capt. Norris Mitchell, Glen Dale, W. Va.; and S/Sgt. Arnold Nation, LeRoy, Minn.

U.S. Army Photos by Bernard Vigil, Sharpe Army Depot



READY—Capt. Norris Mitchell (left) practices positioning himself in the aircraft door for a jump while Sfc Phillip Hanes, jumpmaster, stands by. Captain Mitchell, Glen Dale, W. Va., is military assistant to the director of supply and transportation at Sharpe Army Depot. Sergeant Hanes is from Claremore, Okla.



INSIDE THE PLANE—Waiting for the pilot's jump signal are from left, front row, Capt. Norris Mitchell, Glen Dale, W.Va.; Sp4 Martin Lessley, National City, Okla.; second row, Sfc Lewis Fowler, Otoka, Okla.; Sfc Phillip Hanes, Claremore, Okla.; last row, S/Sgt. Arnold Nation, LeRoy, Minn.; and Sp5 Robert Ashford, Terral, Okla.

Slight Putdown on Nuns

The contour of Jerry Rubin's face- from the top of his head to his chin - resembles a house mop.

Rubin chooses to ignore good grooming. Maybe he is rejecting the axiom "Cleanliness is next to Godliness." Judging from his appearance and actions, he seems to have rejected both.

Rubin is one of "our children," (as one playwright sanctimoniously called them) who attended the Democratic Convention to demonstrate against the existing order of things. He is one of "our older children," being 30 going on 31 (one newspaper stated his age as 36). He has a natural bent for dissension and has found vent for this as one of the leaders of the Youth International Party, whose followers are commonly called Yippies. Yippies are an extension of the hippies and want to universalize bizarre dress, antisocial behavior in the unbelievable extreme, and inhuman causes - in the name of humaneness.

One newspaper account gave a sketchy resume of Rubin which indicates his qualifications as a leader of the Yippies and certainly underscores his proclivity for social disruption:

"Rubin is a member of the National (sic) Coordinating Committee to End the War in Viet Nam, which is Communist-infiltrated. Rubin visited Cuba during 1964. He attended, and was arrested for participating in, a demonstration against Gen. Maxwell Taylor on August 24, 1965. He was also arrested for disorderly conduct in Washington, D.C., on August 19, 1966, for being a public nuisance, and in Oakland, Calif., for criminal trespassing on November 30, 1966. He was convicted in the student sit- in at the University of California in Berkeley on January 28, 1967. On August 28, 1968, he was arrested at Madison and Dearborn Streets in Chicago for having led a large group of Yippies who entered the downtown area and commenced throwing cans and garbage into the streets."

While the above newspaper story doesn't go into the specifics of Rubin's revolutionary employment record, it does show he is capable of relocating. As it is said in the language of the swinger, "He goes where the action is."

For instance in Washington, in 1966, the House Committee on Un- American Activities was in session and Rubin showed up- along with some "200 pacifists, Communists, dupes, beatniks, and nuts"- as noted by the editor of Life Lines who attended the UCUA hearing (Vol. 8, No. 102, August 26, 1966) - to protest HCUA's possible legislative recommendations to stop so-called Americans from aiding the Viet Cong and North Viet Nam. Rubin and his ilk disrupted the HCUA hearings so badly that dozens of disrupters were hauled off to jail.

In those days, Rubin sported one of those bushy, how- are- you- Joe- Stalin moustaches and looked as though he immersed himself in water from time to time.

But in Chicago at the Democratic Convention, Rubin appeared to set a "dirty mop" fashion for his callow following.

Some newspapers gave his Chicago appearance front page coverage when he confronted Mayor Daley with the challenge of a debate anywhere, anytime, on the actions of the rioters - actions which included kicking policemen in the groin, and hurling excrement, bottles, and bricks to incantations of "peace, peace peace" and "pigs, pigs, pigs."

How could Rubin defend those sordid actions? He can. Rubin can defend anything he wants, and justify the most amoral causes imaginable because he has no inhibitions about booting cherished institutions in the hindmost.

If you doubt this, note the following excerpt from an article as it appeared in a foul "underground" newspaper. It carries a Jerry Rubin byline and laments the fact that he had been kicked out of the Newport Folk Festival for "giving pornographic literature to a nun."

Writes he:

"I walked over to give them (four nuns) a copy of the Free Yippie newspaper, brightly-colored, ten- page paper including drawings, poetry, and spiritual thoughts from our anarchist - revolutionary point of view.

"Included in the paper is valuable information like: 'How to make a firebomb.' Also an essay on America titled: 'America Eats the World for Desert,' and scattered thought...

"There was a drawing of a couple making love in the paper and there was one passage which included a slight putdown on nuns. It read, '... How dare you tell the poor that their poverty is deserved? (Obscenity!) Nuns: Laugh at professors; disobey your parents; burn your money;...'"

Then our courier of moral and social taints explains that his "motivation was not malicious. My purpose was a free exchange of information."

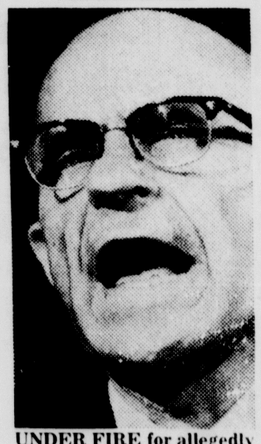
He is puttin' us on. The sheer audacity of it stuns the mind - "firebombs, couple making love." Nothing malicious, to say nothing of the anarchic mood of the whole thing. To offer this sort of material to anybody with a shred of decency is shock enough, but to show it to a nun who dedicates her life's work to mental and physical purity in the name of God?

The point is not whether he is puttin' us on. He is serving his cause by sheer power of shock value. Like the early days of civil anarchy in American cities, after awhile it gained a sort of commonplaceness and, in some quarters, an acceptance.

Our "child" has assaulted the foundation of our moral code. Our "child" denied knowing pornographic literature from good literature; he knows not the difference between a four-letter word and the word "gosh." In essence he denied the concept of good and evil; everything is relevant, there are no standards.

Jerry Rubin the writer, Jerry Rubin the Yippie leader, and Jerry Rubin the professional anarchist and his ideological kindred will, if given enough rope, help to hang the American system.

First, they would shock it into insensitivity.



UNDER FIRE for allegedly private dealings in surplus police guns turned over to the Army, retired Maj. Gen. Carl Turner was spotlighted in continuing congressional probing of the military. Turner recently resigned as chief of U.S. marshals.

LAST MONTH IN HISTORY



NOV 11 Bombs are set off in New York skyscrapers causing damage to the RCA, General Motors and Chase Manhattan Bank buildings.

NOV 13 Vice President Agnew attacks TV network programs as selective and often biased. A later speech attacks printed media.

NOV 15 Some 300,000 demonstrators, mostly young, arrive in nation's capital for mass march and rally protesting the Vietnam war.

NOV 19 Apollo 12 astronauts Charles Conrad and Alan Bean land on the moon and take two lunar walks before blasting off for earth.

NOV 25 Senate votes to continue the income tax surcharge, but at a reduced rate of five per cent and only for the first six months of 1970.

NOV 21 Senate decisively rejects President Nixon's nomination of Judge Clement Haynsworth as associate justice of Supreme Court.

NOV 25 Pledging the U.S. would never engage in germ warfare, President Nixon renounces all but defensive use of chemical weapons.

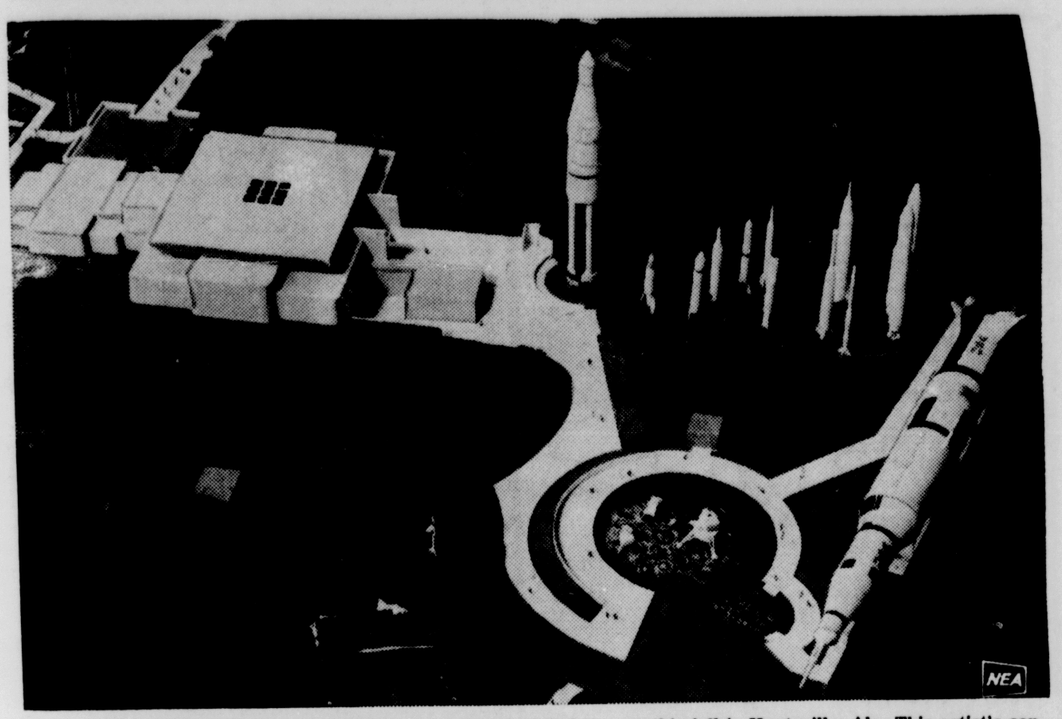
NOV 18 Joseph Kennedy, one of the country's wealthiest men and patriarch of a political dynasty beset by tragedy, dies at 81.

NOV 20 Disappointed with results, ambassador Henry Cabot Lodge resigns as chief U.S. negotiator to Paris peace talks.

NOV 24 In U.S., President Nixon signs treaty to prevent spread of nuclear weapons as President Podgorny signs it in Moscow.

NOV 21 U.S. and Japan agree on return of Okinawa to Japan in 1972. Agreement calls for removal of atomic weapons from island.

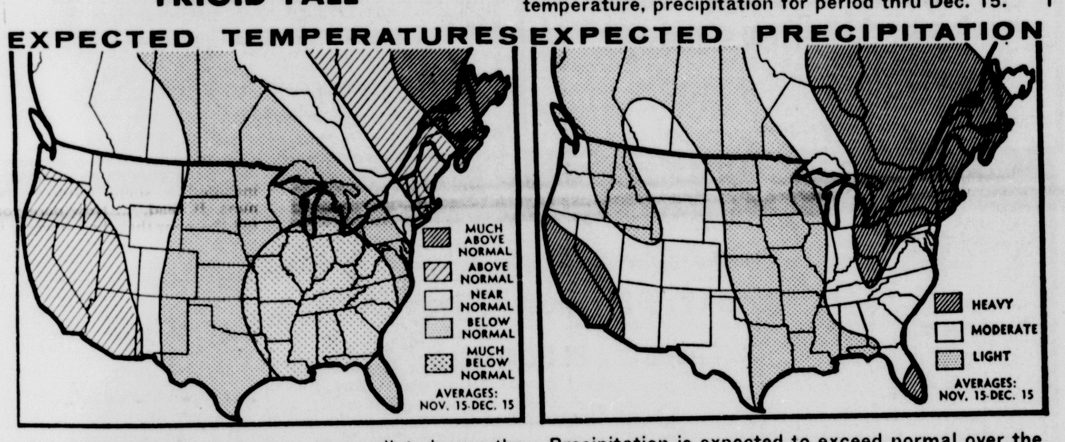
NOV 17 In an atmosphere of cordiality, the U.S. and Soviet Union open preliminary discussions on limitation of strategic arms.



AMERICA'S LARGEST space and rocket center is scheduled to open this fall in Huntsville, Ala. This artist's concept shows the facility, which will include in its exhibits full-sized moon vehicles standing in a 90-foot crater built to simulate a typical landing site on the lunar surface.

FRIGID FALL

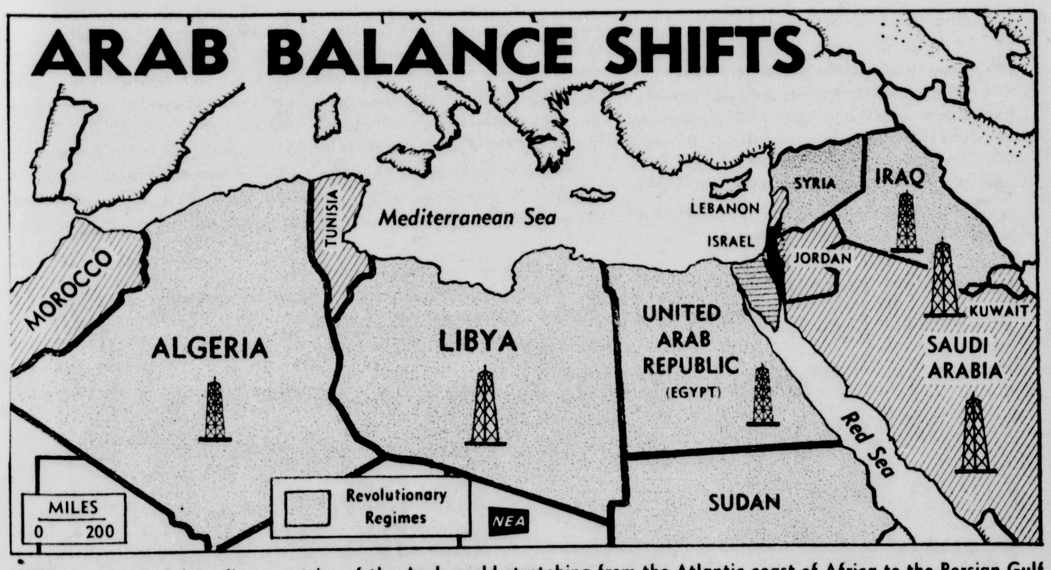
Maps show Weather Bureau's forecast of average temperature, precipitation for period thru Dec. 15.



Below-normal temperatures are predicted over the eastern two-thirds of the nation except for near- to above-normal in the Northeastern states.

Precipitation is expected to exceed normal over the Ohio Valley and Northeast as well as California. Subnormal totals are indicated in central states.

ARAB BALANCE SHIFTS



With the coup in Libya, five countries of the Arab world stretching from the Atlantic coast of Africa to the Persian Gulf are now ruled by revolutionary military regimes—Algeria, Libya, Egypt, Syria and Iraq. Half-Arab Sudan is also under military control. Moderate governments remain in power in Morocco, Saudi Arabia, Jordan and Kuwait (all monarchies) and Tunisia and Lebanon (parliamentary democracies). One of the major oil producers of the area, Libya's wells yield a million barrels a day.



EMPTY NOW, but the Brno Velodrome in Czechoslovakia will soon be alive with activity when the World Amateur Cycling championship races are held here on Aug. 15-24. Competitors from 31 countries are expected to participate in the event. An overhanging roof keeps the track dry in bad weather.

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4-H Girls Have Whirlwind Chicago Congress Trip

Three Missouri girls who were among the state's top 4-H winners have had their first taste of Christmas. Winners of a five-day trip to Chicago after Thanksgiving, the three young women attended the 48th National 4-H Congress, visited museums, squeezed in some Christmas shopping and enjoyed the yuletide decorations.

The trip winners were: Carla Sartin of Marionville; Marsha Bishop of Golden City, and Linda Tribble of Grovespring.



Carla Sartin



Linda Tribble



Marsha Bishop

Donors of the trip awards were Merck & Co., Inc., for the 4-H Horse project, Simplicity Pattern Co. Inc., for the dress revue project, and Oliver-White for dairy. Winners were selected by the Cooperative Extension Service.

Miss Sartin, 19, daughter of Mrs. Betty Sartin, after six years of 4-H Horsemanship activities, has decided on a career as a professional horse trainer. She has trained 47 horses, has taught riding and given demonstrations on everything from how to shoe a horse to how to judge halter horses.

An annual winner of the county horsemanship award, Miss Sartin is expert at breaking horses, unstiffening joints and stitching saddles.

Miss Bishop, 17, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Bishop, has modeled her handmade gray tweed suit to first place in district and state shows. She represented southwest Missouri in the state dress revue in 1968 and again this year.

In eight years, Miss Bishop won 92 blue, 19 red and five white ribbons. A three-time delegate to state events, the young woman has been awarded trips to the 4-H State and Washington, D.C., Citizenship Short Courses.

Miss Tribble, 19, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Howard Tribble, is a freshman at the University of Missouri where she is studying for a career in veterinary medicine.

Her achievements in her dairy project included grand champions at county fairs. She won county, district and state honors for her exhibits and demonstrations yearly for the past nine years.

She was one of 36 sectional award winners in the national 4-H Dairy program.



LITTLE JUMPER — Sgt. Robert C. Burns helps Douglas Milburn, 5 put on a parachute harness for a simulated parachute jump. Two miniature jump towers were erected at Pope Air Force Base for the enjoyment of children visiting the base during Armed Forces Day. Sergeant Burns is a member of the 82d Airborne Division, Fort Bragg, N.C.

PUBLIC NOTICE

CIRCUIT COURT FOR THE COUNTY OF SCOTT STATE OF MISSOURI

IN THE INTEREST OF: Plaintiff
vs.
ROGER DALE ABBOTT, EDNA MYRTLE SNOW, AND DONALD EUGENE SNOW, children under the age of seventeen years of age, Defendant

Number 965-J
ORDER OF PUBLICATION OF NOTICE

The State of Missouri to defendant Buck Snow, father of Eda Myrtle Snow and Donald Eugene Snow.

The names of all the parties to said suit are stated above in the caption hereof and the name and address for plaintiff is Mr. Fred Glover, Juvenile Officer, Sikeston, Missouri.

You are further notified that, unless you file an answer or other pleading or shall otherwise appear and defend against the aforesaid petition within 45 days after the 14th day of November 1969, judgment by default will be rendered against you.

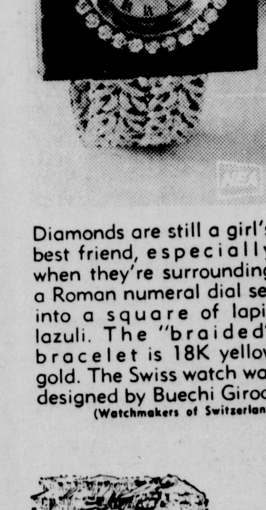
It is ordered that a copy hereof be published according to law in the Daily Sikeston Standard, a newspaper of general circulation published in the County of Scott, State of Missouri.

A true copy from the record.

Witness my hand and the seal of the circuit court this 12th day of November, 1969.

Lynn F. Ingram, Circuit Clerk

41-47-53-59
(SEAL)



SKIRTING the conventional, actress Jane Fonda wears traditional Indian "Kurta Pajama" (long shirt and baggy bellbottoms) as she heads for the foreign ministry in New Delhi to obtain a visa for a visit to Gangtok, capital of northern Sikkim.

Diamonds are still a girl's best friend, especially when they're surrounding a Roman numeral dial set into a square of lapis lazuli. The "braided" bracelet is 18K yellow gold. The Swiss watch was designed by Buechi Girod. (Watchmakers of Switzerland)

The Grand Canyon's 4,000-foot cliffs make it the deepest of the 19 canyons along the 1,400-mile course of the Colorado River, The World Almanac says. The canyons were formed over 600 million years by the river's eroding layers of rock while the land moved upward in a slow unheaval. Clearly seen strata and fossils on canyon walls reveal more of the earth's history more vividly than anywhere else in the world.

NOTICE OF TRUSTEE'S SALE

Default having been made in the payment of a certain promissory note described in and secured by a Deed of Trust dated December 15, 1959, and record in Book 123, pages 175-178 thereof, in the office of the Recorder of Deeds for Scott County, Missouri, and executed by Harold R. Hill and Dorothy H. Hill, his wife, and because of such default the legal holder of said note has requested the undersigned Trustee to carry out the terms of said Deed of Trust.

Now, therefore, I, Berl E. Cohoon, Trustee named in the afore-mentioned Deed of Trust, having been requested so to do by the legal holder and owner of said note, will in accordance with the terms of said Deed of Trust on Tuesday, December 9, 1969, between the hours of nine A. M. and five P.M. of said date at the front door of the County Circuit Court House in the Town of Benton, Scott County, Missouri, sell at public vendue to the highest bidder, for cash, the property in said Deed of Trust described, situated in Scott County, Missouri, to-wit:

The West half of Lot 3 of the Northeast Quarter of Section 2, Township 27 North, Range 13 East of the 5th Principal Meridian, containing 40 acres, more or less, for the purpose of satisfying said debt and cost of sale, or so much thereof as the proceeds therefrom are sufficient to pay.

Berl E. Cohoon, Trustee

Fred E. Steck
Attorney for Trustee
Sikeston, Missouri
41-47-53-59.

CIRCUIT COURT FOR THE COUNTY OF SCOTT STATE OF MISSOURI

LINDA STEAKLEY Plaintiff
vs.
JERRY ALLEN STEAKLEY Defendant

Number 5851
ORDER OF PUBLICATION OF NOTICE

The State of Missouri to defendant Jerry Allen Steakley.

You are hereby notified that an action has been commenced against you in the Circuit Court for the County of Scott, Missouri, the object and general nature of which is Action for Divorce.

The names of all the parties to said suit are stated above in the caption hereof and the name and address of the attorney for plaintiff is Robert A. Dempster, 215 North Stoddard St., Sikeston, Missouri.

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TRUSTEE'S SALE

WHEREAS, Walter G. Winfield and Allene Winfield, his wife, by a certain Deed of Trust dated the 10th day of March, 1969, and recorded in the office of the Recorder of Deeds for the County of Scott and the State of Missouri, in Book 164, Page 263, conveyed to the undersigned Trustee the following described real estate situated in the County of Scott and State of Missouri, to wit:

All of Lot Numbered Sixteen (16) and the West half (W 1/2) of Lot Numbered Seventeen (17) in Block numbered Eight (8) of McCoy and Tanner's Second (2nd) Addition to the City of Sikeston, Scott County, Missouri.

Which conveyance was made to the undersigned in trust to secure the payment of a certain Promissory Note in said Deed specified; and

WHEREAS, said note is now past due and remains unpaid default having been made in the payment of said note.

NOW, THEREFORE, at the request of the legal holder of said Note and in pursuance of the conditions of said Deed of Trust, the undersigned Trustee will sell the property above described at public vendue to the highest bidder for cash at the main front door of the Circuit Court House in the City of Benton, Scott County, Missouri, on December 16, 1969, between the hours of 9:00 A.M., and 5:00 P.M., for the purpose of satisfying said indebtedness and the cost of executing this trust.

Roberts T. Williams, Trustee

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FRIDAY EVENING PROGRAMS			
5	30 THE REGIONAL NEWS- 45 THE SCOREBOARD- 50 WATCHING THE WEATHER-	30 * Huntley-Brinkley -	
6	00 CBS EVENING NEWS- 30 Get Smart-	00 6 P.M. Report 30 Rudolph the Red Nosed Reindeer	30 Cactus Pete 25 Weather (C) 30 Lets Make A Deal
7	00 The Good Guys-t 30 Hogan's Heroes-	30 Name of the Game	00 Brady Bunch 30 Mr. Deeds Goes To Town (C)
8	00 FRIDAY NIGHT MOVIE-		00 Here Comes Brides-
9		10 Bracken's World	30 Lennon Sisters
10	00 CHANNEL 12 REPORTS 15 THE LATE WEATHER 25 THE SPORTS FINAL 30 MERV GRIFFIN SHOW-	00 News Picture - 30 Tonight Show -	30 Weather & News 30 Joey Bishop (C
11			
12	15 LATE NEWS HIGHLIGH		00 Friday Late Movie The Homesteader 1:00 News & Sign Off
SATURDAY PROGRAMS			
6	00 Sunrise Semester- 30 Gospel Train- 45 Sat. Morning News & Weather-		
7	00 The Jetsons-Color (30 Bugs Bunny-Roadrunner Hour	00 RFD-TV 30 Atop the Fence Post 55 News	00 Casper Cartoons 30 Smoky The Bear
8	30 Dastardly & Muttley In Their Flying Machine	00 Here Comes the Grump 30 Pink Panther	00 Chattanooga Cats
9	00 Perils Of Penelope Pitstop 30 Scooby-Doowhere Are You-	00 H.R. Pufnstuff 30 Banana Splits Adventure Hour	00 Hot Wheels (C) 30 The Hardy Boys
10	00 Archie Comedy Hour	30 Jambo	00 Sky Hawk (C) 30 Adv of Gulliver
11	00 The Monkeys 30 Wacky Races	00 Flintstones 30 Underdog - -	00 Fantastic Voyage 30 Am Bandstand (C
12	00 Superman-t 30 Jonny Quest-	00 Insight - c 30 Quarterback Club 45 Fife A	30 NCAA Football Texas vs Ark.
1	30 Marshal Dillon 30 KFVS-TV Public Affairs	00 AFL Football- N.Y. at Houston	
2	00 Saturday Matinee		
3	15 Film		30 USGA HiLites
4	00 Glory Road-t 30 The Lester Family-	00 File 6 30 OF College Bowl	00 World of Sports(
5	00 The Flintstones-Colo 30 The Regional News-Co 45 The Scoreboard-Color 50 Watching the Weather-	00 Wilburn Bros. Show 30 Huntley-Brinkley -	30 Championship Wrestling (C)
6	00 CBS Sat. Evening News 30 Jackie Gleason Show-(	00 Porter Wagoner 10 Littlest Angel	30 Dating Game
7	30 My Three Sons	30 Adam 12	00 Newlywed Games 30 Lawrence Welk
8	00 Green Acres-Color 30 Petticoat Junction	00 Sat. Nite Movie - "Hallelujah Trail" Burt Lancaster - Lee Remick	30 Hollywood Palace(
9			30 Bill Anderson
10	00 7- 45 The Late Weather- 55 The Sports Final 00 The Show of the Week		00 ABC News (C) 15 Sat Evening News & Weather (C) 30 Saturday Night Movie Francis Covers the Big Town
11		00 News Picture - c 30 Weekend at the Movies TBA	
12	45 Invitation for Tomorrow		1:00 Sign Off
SUNDAY PROGRAMS			
6	00 THE CHRISTOPHERS 30 THE BIG PICTURE-		
7	00 REVIVAL FIRES- 30 HERALD OF TRUTH	00 Faith for Today - c 30 Gospel Singing Jubilee	15 Dixon Springs Report (C) 30 The Story (C)
8	00 Tom & Jerry-Color 30 Batman-Color CBS	30 Paducah Devotion	00 Oral Roberts 30 Dudley Doright
9	00 Lamp Unto my Feet- 30 Look Up & Live-CBS	15 Hamilton Bros. Quartet 30 Herald of Truth - c	00 Georgeof Jungle 30 Fantastic Four
10	00 CAMERA THREE- 30 THE ANSWER	00 This Is the Life 30 The Answer - c	00 Bullwinkle 30 Discovery
11	00 Face the Nation- 30 This is the Life-	00 Popeye - 30 Frontiers of Faith	00 College Football
12	00 NFL Today-Color CBS (St. Louis at New York) NFL Today-Color CBS (Minnesota at Los Angeles)	30 Meet the Press - 30 AFL Football-Denver at Miami	00 Directions (C) 30 Issues & Answers
1			00 Sunday Matinee
2			00 Untouchables
3		00 AFL Football- Buffalo at Kansas City	
4			00 Educational 30 Tale Is The Life(
5			00 F Troop (C) 30 That Good Ole Nashville Music
6	00 Charlie Brown Christmas- 10 Frosty the Snowman-Color	00 Wild Kingdom - 30 Walt Disney's	00 Land Of Giants
7	:00 The Ed Sullivan Show	30 Bill Cosby	00 FBI
8	00 The Leslie Uggams Show	00 Bonanza	00 Sunday Night Movie Second Best Secret Agent
9	00 Mission Impossible	00 The Bold Ones	
10	00 CBS Sun. Night News-Color 15 Sun. Night News & Weather- 30 The Merv Griffin Show-	00 News Picture - 30 Weekend at the Movies "Kiss of Evil" Clifford Evans - Hoo	00 Weekend News (C) 15 Sunday Night Movie Price of Fear
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12	10 The Living Prayer		00 Sign Off

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Aides Feel Nixon Erred in Snubbing Peace Marchers

By RAY CROMLEY
NEA Washington Correspondent

WASHINGTON (NEA)

Within the White House staff itself, at the State Department, the U.S. Information Agency and the Pentagon, there are men who disagree strongly with President Nixon's public response to the October and November antiwar demonstrations.

It must be noted that the administration "dissenters" known to this reporter are loyal to the President and believe in his Vietnam policies. But they think Nixon was in error when he so patently snubbed sizable numbers of protesting Americans, however misguided and wrong-headed he may believe them to be.

In what Nixon and his key advisers are convinced is the U.S. interest, the President both in October and November sincerely believed it necessary to make it crystal clear to the people of South Vietnam and the rulers in Hanoi that he would not be pressured into selling out the south and that the demonstrators did not represent the majority in America.

But a firm stand is one thing and seeming rudeness to the views of others is quite another, some administration men say quite vigorously in private talks.

These men do not suggest that Nixon should have dickered with the demonstrators or implied in any way that demonstrations can substitute for deliberation by government or a vote by the people. They do not suggest that he be polite to those who carried Viet Cong flags or shouted Ho Ho Ho Chi Minh, or to those Nazi types who sought violence.

The administration objectors think, rather, that Nixon should have announced in advance that he welcomed expressions for peace, that he, as much as any man, wanted peace, that he had called on the advice of some of the ablest men in the country, that he thought he was on the right path but that if anyone had ideas to offer he would listen. He could have repeated his statement that anything was negotiable except the self-determination and liberty of the South Vietnamese.

As the demonstrations progressed, even though the major parade did not pass the White House, Nixon could have waved out cheerfully toward the line of march blocks away (with all proper security precautions to guard against the 1½ per cent of lunatics among the huge numbers here for the demonstrations).

Nixon could have asked representatives of the marchers to send to his aides alternative concrete proposals on bringing peace which would preserve the freedom and integrity of the South Vietnamese people.

After the parades, Nixon could have repeated that he welcomed and appreciated the peaceful demonstrations. He could have said they would prove to the world that America was united in wanting peace even where there was disagreement on how to achieve it. He could have decried the actions of the violent minority as a betrayal of their fellow marchers.

Nixon could then have stated that he had studied the petitions and statements turned in to him. Assuming that the demonstrators provided no data of significance not already considered by the President and his advisers (and administration men who circulated among the visitors reported they heard no workable alternative plans or proposals), the President could have announced that it still seemed to him that he had no other course to follow than the one he had embarked on but that his "door" would at all times be open for suggestions.

Looking Back

Meldrum Kit Reaches His Parents

50 years ago
December 5, 1919

The "kit" of Henry Meldrum, who died in France from an accidental wound, has been received by his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Meldrum, of this city.

Again The Standard urges all who have teams to at once get busy hauling wood for fuel as little coal will be available through the winter. What little comes in will be apportioned in small quantities. If any wood can be spared bring it to town and let some family have it at a moderate price.

The high school boys and girls are at sea for a hall to have their basketball games. Plenty of good material is at hand for both girl and boy teams, but no place to practice or play. It may be that the City Hall will be secured, but that is not of the required dimensions which would place a handicap on our boys and girls on a regulation field. Without a doubt an auditorium and gymnasium should be built on the high school grounds that all school plays and games should be staged under the one canvas.

One of our local shippers to the St. Louis market last week shipped a car load of fat hogs for which he received $1,400 less than for a car he shipped in August and the car shipped last week were much better hogs. The thing that hurts worse, is, he had to pay just as much to a Sikeston butcher for a pork roast that he purchased a few days ago as he did during the summer when hogs were the highest.

40 years ago
December 5, 1929

Santa Claus letters. Dear Santa: I am nine years old and love you. I don't want very much for Christmas, for I want you to go see every little boy and girl in the world and make them all happy. I want a sewing machine, a sleeping and crying doll and some fruit candy and nuts. Love, Margaret Jones.

Dear Santa: We are twin brothers and are good boys. We haven't missed Sunday school in three years. We want you to bring us a pair of pants, waists, tinker toys, horns, fiddles, a dump truck and some nuts, candy and fruits for Christmas. We want some marbles too. Be sure and bring two of each thing. We are eight years old and in the third grade. With love, Clifford and Clifton Jones.

30 years ago
December 5, 1939

Mrs. Chester Brown of Charleston was killed Thursday night on Highway 60 a mile west of Charleston, when struck by an automobile as she was walking alone toward Charleston.

Charleston jumped from co-champion to unattached champion of the Southeast Missouri conference in a thrilling battle with Dexter Friday afternoon at the Poplar Bluff stadium, 10-7, staving off a desperate Bearcat bid in the final seconds.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Huiser of Brown Spur are parents of a son born at their home Friday.

Malone Theatre, today, "Our Neighbors, the Carters" with Faye Bantor and Frank Graven. Tomorrow, Claudette Colbert and Henry Fonda in "Drums Along the Mohawk." Rex Theatre, today and tomorrow, "Those High Gray Walls" with Walter Connolly and Iris Meredith.

20 years ago
December 5, 1949

Edwin E. Wright, 25 years old, state patrolman from Steeleville, Mo., was assigned to the Sikeston patrol office and went on duty here Saturday.

Meet Sikeston's Teachers. Miss Georgia Houchins teaches the sixth grade at the Airport School. She has been teaching in Sikeston schools for 14 years, and has taught the second, third, fourth, fifth, sixth and seventh grades and also departmental work. Here in Sikeston she resides at 326 East Kathleen.

Mrs. Charles Hutchason of Tanner was honoree at a dinner at the home of her son- in- law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Bob Darter, Sunday when she observed her 89th birthday.



STUDENT COUNCIL OFFICERS at Charleston high school include, from left, President Cathy Cook; Vice-President Celestine Williams; Recording Secretary Gloria Butler; Corresponsing Secretary Katherine Herwig; and Treasurer Tony Harvell.

Christmas Material In Library

JACKSON - This is the 15th Christmas season for the Riverside regional library, each year more of our patrons are coming to the library to prepare for a better Christmas

Early in the fall schools, clubs, and churches borrow plays, select program materials and reserve films. Among the most popular Christmas films are: "Christmas through the Ages," "The Night Before Christmas," "Christmas on Grandfather's Farm," "The Littlest Angel," "Story of a Carol: Silent Night," and "Poetry of Christmas."

The resources of the library have grown; there are films, filmstrips and new Christmas records added each year. Christmas Songs in Foreign Languages consists of four filmstrips and records, with carols in French, German, Spanish and Latin. Both traditional and sacred carols are included in the collection.

Two other filmstrips with records are "Let's Keep Christmas" and "The Other Wise Man." The first is based on Dr. Peter Marshall's sermon on the true meaning of Christmas, and the other is the story of the three wise men who traveled from afar to see the Christ child.

Here are a few Christmas books- "A Wreath of Carols", "Augsburg Christmas Book", McGinley - "A Wreath of Christmas Legends", Engle -- "Prairie Christmas" "Eleanor Roosevelt's Christmas Book" Lee -- "Complete Book of Entertainments," "Christmas Ideals" magazine, "Christmas Stories that Never Grow Old" Lofts -- "How Far to Bethlehem" Carrol -- "Christmas through the Years 1898--1950" and Lang -- "Two Kinds of Christmas" - collection of classic Christmas messages of all times.

If You Were the Judge

Salesman Responsible For Damage to Rug

By Jack Strauss, LL.B.

Barney sold a rug cleaning compound door to door and found that making sales was like pulling teeth. So, like a dentist, he gave his customers a lot of gas. He told them about the miraculous cleaning powers of his compound and then requested permission to demonstrate. Housewife Edna made the mistake of giving her consent.

Dumping cigarette butts onto Edna's rug as well as some stale beer, left-over dog food and a mishmash of other undelectable items, Barney proceeded with the demonstration. When he finished, the only thing that had disappeared was the smile on his face. As for the rug, it was one big globby mess.

Throwing Barney out of her house, Edna sued him for destroying her property.

"He was as cuckoo as a pigeon," she complained in court. "He came into my house and submerged my rug under a pile of garbage."

"I don't understand it," was Barney's answer. "My cleaning compound always worked before. Besides, Edna consented to the demonstration. Consequently, if it didn't work, she can't sue me, as she consented to it."

IF YOU WERE THE JUDGE, would you permit Edna to collect for the demise of her rug?

This is how the judge ruled: YES! The judge held that when a salesman negligently spoils a rug while demonstrating a cleaning compound, he's responsible for the damages caused, regardless of the consent of the owner to the demonstration.

(Based upon a 1964 North Carolina Supreme Court Decision)

CANALOU NEWS

CANALOU — Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Warren had as Thanksgiving Day guests their son, Ray, and family and their daughter, Mrs. Earl Andrews, and family, all of New Madrid. They also had as guests a friend of Ray Warren, Earnest Beiler of Quency, Ill.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Cude, Angela and Bradley, spent Thanksgiving with relatives in Ark. The Cudes have purchased a house in Morehouse and plan to move before Christmas.

Tom Vickers was stricken by a heart attack recently. He is a patient in the Missouri Delta Community Hospital in Sikeston.

Mrs. Dot Meek is also a patient in the Sikeston hospital where she had surgery.

Mr. and Mrs. Phillip Greer and sons of Fergerson were Thanksgiving guests of her mother, Mrs. Lila Lowe and other relatives. They were accompanied by his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Greer of Mounds City, Ill.

Miss Selma Gruen of East Alton, Ill. spent Thanksgiving with her sister, Mrs. Cora Geske, and other relatives here and in Sikeston.

Miss Emily Shepherd of St. Louis spent the holiday with her mother, Mrs. Dessie Shepherd and with her sister and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Nelson Gruen. The Gruens daughter, Miss Mary Ann who attends college in Kansas City, was also home for the holiday.

Miss Ruth Ann Lumsden, who attends college in Canton, spent Thanksgiving with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Nelson Lumsden.

Mr. and Mrs. Ron Bright of St. Louis spent the holiday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Abernathey.

Miss Reba Jones of New Athens, Ill., visited from Wednesday to Sunday with her mother, Mrs. Elmer Gruen nd husband, and with her sister, Mrs. George Smith, and family in Lilbourn.

Tim Koch, son of Mr. nd Mrs. Marcus Koch, who attends college in Columbia, spent Thanksgiving with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Marcus Koch and Becky. John Koch, who also attends college there, had to work and could not be with his family.

Other college students who were home for the holiday were Linda Cain, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Cain; Mike Geske and Jeannie Geske, son and daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Dale Geske; Cindy Walton, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Willie Walton; and Jim Robinson, son of Mr. and Mrs. Woodie Robinson.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Gruen went to Belleville, Ill. Friday to see their granddaughter, Lisa Jones, in a parade. They were accompanied by Phil Newman of Sikeston. Lisa and her brother, Terry Jones, accompanied them home. Terry visited with his aunt, Mrs. Phillip Newman, and family in Sikeston. Lisa visited her grandparents Saturday and spent Saturday night with her aunt, Mrs. George Smith, and family in Lilbourn. Miss Reba Jones took both children home Sunday. Sandra Smith of Lilbourn also visited her grandparents Saturday.

Jim Ballsrud and a friend, Dean Calensen, both students at the college in Charleston, Ill., spent the holiday with Mr. and Mrs. Dale Geske, Jeannie and Mike.

Doctors Called Poorly Trained In Sex Problems

DENVER, Colo. (AP) — It is a myth that the average physician is well trained to deal with his patients' sexual problems, a Texas psychologist says.

Dr. James Leslie McCary, professor of psychology at the University of Houston, spoke Wednesday about sex myths and fallacies to doctors attending the American Medical Association's clinical convention.

"It is a sad and unfortunate truth that except for adequate knowledge of reproductive processes, physicians as a group are grievously ignorant and actually rather prudish in matters of sexuality," he said.

Another fallacy, he said, is that sex desire and ability decrease markedly after age 40 to 50.

Sexual intercourse among the married elderly "occurs considerably more frequently than is commonly realized," he said.

He said a statistical study showed: "Seven out of 10 healthy married couples who are 60 years of age or older are sexually active, and the consistent clinical observation is that of both men and women, the ones with the strongest sex drive during youth retain the greatest sex drive and virility in old age."

Another myth, Dr. McCary said, is that persons who commit sex crimes are highly dangerous, oversexed and usually get involved in progressively more serious crimes.

The sex offender "is rarely involved in nonsexual crimes," he said, adding that "only a small percentage use force or duress on their victims."

"Homicide seldom occurs in conjunction with sexual offenses," he said. "When homicide does occur in sex crimes, the offender is usually insane as well as sexually deviated."

The typical sex offender is undersexed rather than oversexed, Dr. McCary said, and is likely to be afraid of normal sexual contact.

First Tax Forms Will Go to Farmers And Fishermen

ST. LOUIS — About three million 1969 Federal Income Tax Forms for America's farmers and fishermen will be sent to them about the first week in December, a month earlier than usual, the Internal Revenue Service announced today. All other taxpayers will receive their packages about Jan. 1.

A first for Internal Revenue, the early mailing is an attempt to assist the farmers and fishermen in taking advantage of options open to them in filing returns and paying their tax, IRS officials said.

Estimated tax forms, in a separate package, will reach farmers and fishermen about the same date. In previous years, the estimated tax forms were included in the income tax packages.

Farmers and fishermen have a choice of filing dates: they may elect to file and pay in full an estimated tax declaration by January 15, 1970, and file an income tax return by the April 15 deadline; or they may elect to file only an income tax return by February 16 and pay the tax due with the return.

Like the other 77 million taxpayers expected to file tax returns for 1969, farmers and fishermen will be using the new income tax form 1040.

The form, which replaces both the old form 1040 and the 1040A, is a one- page, basic form to which separate scheduled can be added to cover any tax situation.

The Prayer *from* *The Upper Room*

We are not better than pots of earthenware to contain this treasure, and this proves that such transcendent power does not come from us, but is God's alone. (II Corinthians 4:7, NEB)

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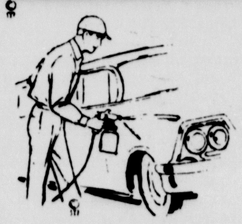


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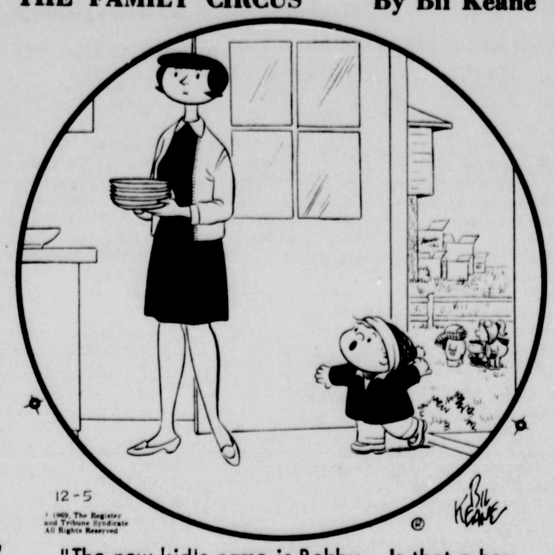


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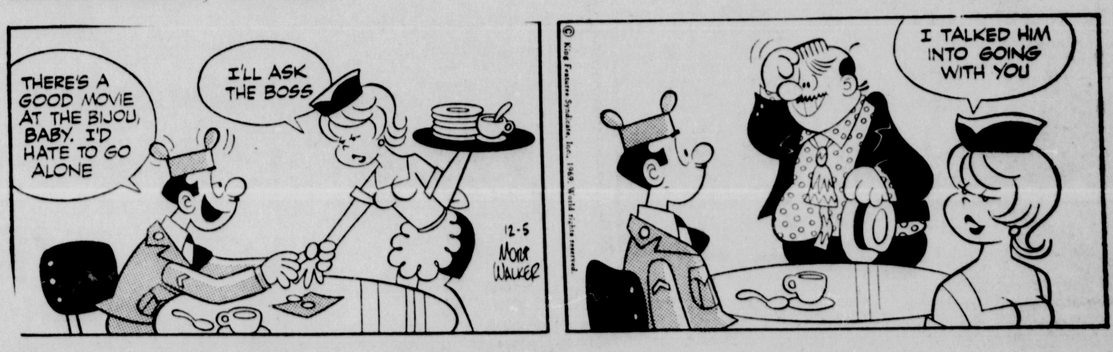
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Today In U.S. History

By THE ASSOCIATED PRESS

Today is Friday, December 5, the 339th day of 1969. There are 26 days left in the year.

Today's highlight in history:

On this date in 1933, 13 years of prohibition ended in the United States as Utah became the 36th state to ratify the 21st Amendment repealing the 18th Amendment to the Constitution.

On this date:

In 1776, the first scholastic fraternity in the U.S., Phi Beta Kappa, was organized at the college of William and Mary in Williamsburg, Va.

In 1782, the eighth American president, Martin Van Buren, was born in Kinderhook, N.Y.

In 1848, President James Polk announced the discovery of gold in California, paving the way for the gold rush of '49.

In 1941, Britain declared war on Finland, Rumania and Hungary.

In 1934, 66 persons were executed in Russia after being charged with plotting against the regime of Joseph Stalin.

In 1943, Japanese warplanes made their first daylight attack on Calcutta, India during the Pacific war.

Ten years ago — Guatemala accused Cuba of helping Communist groups prepare an armed invasion of Guatemala.

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3 An	33 For	63 Forcing
4 Excellent	34 You	64 Your
5 Friends	35 Certain	65 A
6 Welcome	36 Little	66 New
7 Important	37 A	67 Fun
8 Concentrate	38 Necessitate	68 Life
9 Unexpected	39 Enlist	69 Shared
10 A	40 Could	70 Hurried
11 If	41 That	71 To
12 Social	42 You	72 Meaning
13 Amusements	43 Could	73 Acquaintance
14 Fortune	44 Taking	74 You
15 You've	45 To	75 Undoing
16 Emergency	46 Can	76 Might
17 On	47 Unless	77 Meet
18 Angry	48 "Booboo"	78 Journey
19 News	49 A	79 Serious
20 May	50 Aid	80 Serious
21 Nasty	51 Has	81 Money-wise
22 Time	52 By	82 Unwanted
23 Day	53 Be	83 Interest
24 Are	54 Up	84 Hospitality
25 Means	55 Any	85 Trouble
26 Made	56 Be	86 People
27 Might	57 Be	87 Blame
28 Finances	58 It's	88 Of
29 Flareup	59 Don't	89 Others
30 Develops	60 Of	90 Party

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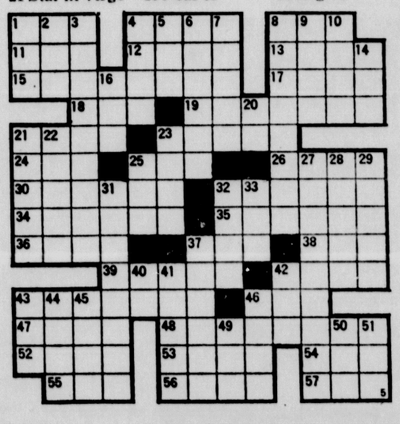
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15 Conservative ——
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23 Thickened soup
24 Place
25 Dessert
26 Egyptian river
30 Muscle sugar (var.)
32 Picturesque
34 ——unrest
35 Of the papal government
36 Caucasian (var.)
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43 Expected
46 Ocean
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52 Assert
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54 Australian bird
55 Terminal
56 Dressed
57 Female deer

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1 Defraud
2 Feminine appellation
3 Division
4 Electrical unit
5 Medical morbid affection (suffix)
6 Fine gauze
7 Anesthetic
8 Hearer
9 Opposed (coll.)
10 Bird
14 Greek letter
16 Outfit
20 Compass point
21 Star in Virgo
22 Of the moon
23 Pegs
25 More (music)
27 Began
28 Fibbers
29 Ostentation
31 Man from Madrid
32 Cicatrix
33 Incise
37 In the middle
40 Near to
41 A French wine
42 Meadow
43 Feminine name
44 Ocean swell
45 Solar disk
46 Collar fastener
49 Rolled tea
50 Shoulder (comb. form)
51 Regret

Answer to Previous Puzzle

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House Bid for Social Security Hike Advances

WASHINGTON (AP) -- The House Ways and Means Committee voted unanimously Wednesday to ask a 15 per cent across-the-board increase in Social Security benefits effective Jan. 1.

Announcing the decision, Chairman Wilbur D. Mills, D-Ark., said "I hope we will be able to pass the bill through the House in the next few days."

He left open the question whether the Senate could complete action before Congress goes home for Christmas.

Mills said that while the higher payments would be effective from the beginning of next year, Social Security beneficiaries would not actually receive the increased sums until April 1.

The Social Security Administration, he said, advised that it would take this long to revise the check issuing machinery. The check for March, received early in April, would reflect one month's increase and a separate check would be issued at the same time to cover the retroactive increase.

The committee-approved proposal means that the average payment under social security, now in the neighborhood of $100, would go up to $115.

Mills said the committee will defer action until next year on President Nixon's proposals for revising the welfare system.

Benefit Movie For Needy

PORTAGEVILLE — Cans of food donated for admission to a comedy movie at 2:30 p.m. Saturday at the Shannon theatre will fill Christmas baskets for the needy.

The Kiwanis club is sponsor of the annual Christmas basket project. At least one can of food is required for admission.

Armstrong Appointed Peace Corps Advisory Council Chairman

WASHINGTON (AP) — Neil A. Armstrong has been appointed chairman of the Peace Corps Advisory Council by President Nixon.

Armstrong, the first man on the moon, will remain in the space program. The 39-year-old civilian astronaut who commanded the Apollo 11 mission will receive no more than $1,000 a year in expenses for his council dates.

The post, held by Vice President Hubert H. Humphrey in the Johnson administration, has been vacant since the Nixon administration took office.



SENIOR CLASS OFFICERS of Charleston high school are, from left, President Richard Logan, Vice-President Kathy DeLaney and Secretary and Treasurer Judith DeLine.

Drug Traffic in Missouri Dwarfs Prevention Tools

Second of two-part series

By JACK STAPLETON JR.
The Daily Dunklin Democrat

Written for Associated Press

KENNETT, Mo. (AP)—While the occasional drug user on a Missouri college campus may never or very rarely repeat the experience, the habitual user jeopardizes his entire scholastic career and even his later vocational life.

"An unknown number of college dropouts have undoubtedly achieved this status as a consequence of their drug abuse," says Dr. Ray Knowles, director of the Missouri Division of Mental Health narcotics section.

Treatment techniques for young drug abusers are not always successful, menal health officials warn, citing a need for further research into the causes of the condition. Patients are seldom motivated to accept treatment and most of Missouri's drug addiction among the preadult population have been called to the state's attention through law enforcement agencies and juvenile courts.

Dr. Knowles says present arrest rates in the illicit drug traffic constitute a bare "iceberg" of the problem now facing Missouri.

Except for isolated cases among physicians, their families and residents of metropolitan ghetto areas, drug abuse had never been visualized as a major health problem in Missouri. All of this is changing as commerce in drugs and narcotics increases.

Neither Dr. Knowles nor his immediate superior, Mental Health Director Dr. George Ulett, is optimistic about the future of drug dependency in Missouri. Although the state has two treatment centers at this moment, the development of additional units was stymied when the legislature failed to appropriate sufficient funds for expansion. Research, both at the state and federal levels, can be classified as both inadequate and too often neglected. As for prevention, Dr. Knowles says "There is little doubt that insufficient effort is being mounted in prevention, where our tools are admittedly primitive."

Education should avoid scare tactics, he believes, and should simply present the facts of drug addition. "Anyone can draw his own conclusions since the facts do speak for themselves and clearly point to inherent dangers," Dr. Knowles says.

"It must be faced, too, that in a drug-oriented society such as ours, there will always be the expectation that relief from stress should be provided through medication and this expectation is a determining factor in the emergence of the drug-dependent state."

Dr. Knowles denies that society has a right to expand or distort consciousness for he, perhaps more than any other Missourian, has seen what happens when the right is abused.

What is being done in the field? To the best of its fiscal limitations, the Division of Mental Health has undertaken treatment services and, to a lesser extent, public education. In the area of enforcement, the concern is almost as limited—with only a handful of federal narcotics agents and local police department specialists assigned to this specific task.

Enforcement of state and federal laws governing possession and sale of illicit drugs falls on 30 agents of the Department of Justice's Narcotics and Dangerous Drugs bureaus in St. Louis and Kansas City and the handful of local police departments in the state that have established special narcotics sections.

An official of the federal narcotics bureau says enforcement has become such a problem that agents are only assigned to larger suppliers or "bureaucratic agents", the term for those whose livelihood depends upon the sale of addicting drugs.

One recent case occupying the attention of federal agents occurred in the small town of Corder, Mo., population 650, where a group of Californians had established a laboratory and was preparing to produce 50 pounds of Speed a week. The manufactuers were rubbing their hands in anticipation of profit their operation would bring—the market is so good in Missouri that some dealers are willing to pay as much as $2,000 a pound for the powdered product.

Few businessmen would sneeze at a weekly gross profit of $100,000. Federal agents were able to stop this illegal enterprise just before it started turning out its production of addiction, heartbreak and death.

Such is not always the case, federal agents warn, and manufacturers and "bureaucratic agents" abound in much greater abundance than is recognized by the general public.

Justice Department officials have been quoted as saying that one of the principal sources of illegal narcotics and drugs in Missouri is the Mafia, the littleknown fraternity of gangsters said to operate branches in Kansas City and St. Louis.

Long blamed as the source of some narcotics, the Mafia in Missouri has concentrated more and more on large quantities of drugs, leaving petty details of distribution at street corners to others. Justice officials explain this reluctance to the greater danger of being caught as a street distributor and because some of the Mafioso are convinced that narcotics distribution is bad for their organization's image.

Traffic in amphetamines takes two avenues: diversion of legitimate sources and manufacture of Speed, most often in powder form, in clandestine laboratories, both in and outside the state.

Growing distribution of illegal drugs has become more and more the responsibility of federal and local law enforcement officials, while the state government has virtually ignored the problem despite proposals from some newspapers that it establish a bureau of investigation to deal with what has been called the "menace to Missouri" — drugs and narcotics.

OBITUARIES

FRANCIS SEEBURGER

DEXTER - Francis Henry (Frank) Seeburger, 61, died today at the Mt. Vernon Hospital.

He was born near Dexter on Dec. 12, 1907.

Survivors include his wife, Pansy, and daughter, Frances, both of Dexter; and two sisters, Mrs. Richard Ester Boyer and Miss Margaret Seeburger, both of Dexter.

His body will be returned to Watkins and Sons Funeral Chapel.

JOSIE CARNELL

MOREHOUSE - Mrs. Josie E. Cornell, 86, died Thursday morning.

Friends may call at the residence until services at 1 p.m. Saturday in the United Pentecostal church with the pastor, the Rev. Nanthanel Lewis, officiating. Burial will be in Triplett cemetery near Essex.

Pallbearers will be Woodrow Bolin, John Vaughn, Chester Shirkey, Don Vandermark, Thomas ALfort and Gerald Gargus. Jackson Funeral Home will be in charge.

JAMES SARTIN

James P. Sartin, 824 Matthews, 70, died Thursday at Shuffits Nursing Home 3.

He was born in Sylemore, Ark. on Dec. 30, 1898.

Survivors include three sons, Jimmie of Sikeston, Dalton of Ana, Ill., and Otis Sartin of Miami; two daughters, Mrs. George Armstrong and Mrs. James Marcy Jr., both of Portland; one brother, W. R. Sartin of Lanagon; two sisters, Mrs. Betty Vanagter of Truman, Ark., and Mrs. Laura Ward of Mountain Home, Ark.; 19 grandchildren and two great grandchildren.

Friends may call at the Jackson Funeral Home until services at 10 a.m. Saturday in the Jackson Chapel with Rev. John Cullins officiating.

Burial will be in the Carpenter cemetery near McMullin.

Grain Market

CHICAGO (AP) — Soybeans and grain futures prices were irregular in early dealings on the Chicago Board of Trade Friday.

On the opening, wheat was 1/8 cent a bushel lower to 1/8 higher, January 1.42½; corn was 1/8 lower to ¼ higher, December 1.18¾; oats were unchanged to ¼ lower, December 57½ cents; rye was 1/8 to ¼ higher, December 1.10¼ and soybeans were unchanged to 3/8 lower, January 2.43¾.

Five Most Active Stocks

The Dow- Jones Industrials at noon were up .86 on volume of 5,840,000 shares.

Texico	29	+ 1/4
Midland Ross	23 5/8	— 5/8
Gulf Oil	29	+ 1/4
Int. T & T	56 7/8	+ 1/4
Texas Util.	53 5/8	+ 1/4

STOCKS OF LOCAL INTEREST

Keystone	10 1/8
AT & T	51
Evans Prod.	43 ½
Anheuser Busch	72¼ bid
ARk- Mo Power	13 3/8
Banff Oil	10
Chrysler	35½
Ford	41 3/8
Gen. Motors	70½
Mid-Amer. Great Plains	4 bid
But. Nat.	16¾ bid
Perini	8 1/8 bid
Transamerica	26 5/8
Transogram	13 1/8
Zapata Norness	33 5/8

These prices were provided at approximately 12 Noon today by Merrill Lynch, Pierce, Fenner & Smith, 515 Olive St., St. Louis, Mo. You can call TOLL-FREE for quotes or other information by dialing 1-800-392-3430.

Livestock

NATIONAL STOCKYARDS, Ill. (AP) — Estimates for Monday: Hogs 8,000; cattle 1,000; calves 100; sheep 700.

Hogs 5,500; barrows and gilts U.S. 1-3 210-230 lb 27.00-27.50; 230- 250 lb 26.75- 27.25; U.S. 2-4 240- 250 lb. 26.00-26.75; U.S. 3-4 260- 280 lb 25.00- 26.00; 280-325 lb 24.00-25.00; U.s. 1-2 170-180 lb 25.50.

Cattle 300; calves 50; slaughter steers, couple lots, good, 900- 1,050 lbs 27.00-27.50; slaughter heifers, load mixed good and choice near 900 lbs 27.00.

Sheep 50, not enough to test prices.

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Local Stocks

	BID	ASK
1st Nat. Bk. of Sik.	6	7
Anheuser Busch	72¼	72¾
Ark Mo Power	13½	13¾
Calverts	6	6½
Clinton Oil	8½	8½
Frontier Tower	2	2¼
Hamilton Cosco	14½	
Olson Bros.	3¼	3½
Malone & Hyde	21	21¾
Mo Beef Packers	28½	
No Amer. Comm.	13¼	14
Pabst Brewing	45	45½
Mid Amer Great Plain	3½	4½
Wetterau	24½	25¼

LISTED STOCKS

Airlift Int.	30¾
Allied Stores	30¾
Amer Tel & Tel	50¾
Chrysler	36
Columbia Gas	25¾
Eaton Mfg.	40¾
Ford Motors	41¾
New Eng. Elec.	21½
Transogram	12¾

EDITORS NOTE: The bid price is the approximate price if one were a seller.

Quotations furnished by Hugh T. McCollum registered representative for Fusz Schmelzle and Co. 1405 East Malone. Phone 471-5350.



Alvin F. Lindsay

Lindsay President Of Firm

Roure- Dupont, Inc. of New York City, a chemical manufacturer, announces the appointment of Alvin F. Lindsay as president and chief executive.

Lindsay, a former resident of Sikeston, is the son of Mrs. A. F. Lindsay, 535 North Ranney. He was an employe of International Fragrances and Flavors 22 years, serving as vice president before going to his new position.

Lindsay studied in the Sikeston public schools, and attended the University of Missouri at Columbia and Columbia University of New York City. His wife is a native of New York.

Two Breakins

DEXTER - Two break-ins were reported in Dexter Sunday night.

Police reported that Payne's Shoe Store and Monarch Real Estate and Insurance offices were broken into sometime Sunday.

As of Monday morning, owners of both firms reported they were still unable to determine how much was missing.

Hospital Expansion Loses for Third Time

COLUMBIA, Mo. (AP) — A multimillion dollar expansion of the Boone County Hospital in Columbia failed to carry a twothirds majority in a special bond election Tuesday.

It was the third failure for the issue in the last 13 months. The vote on the $7.8 million project was 7,514 yes, 4,029 against. All of the votes have been favorable, barely lacking the necessary two-thirds majority.

Dear Santa

Dear Santa,
My name is Stevie Bass and I've been a pretty good boy this year. For Christmas I would like a guitar, Hot Wheels set, and a big fire engine. Please remember all the other little children.
Love,
Stevie
P.S. I'll leave some cookies on the table for you.

Dear Santa,
My name is Stephanie Gae Carter and I'll be two years old this month. I've been pretty good this year and for Christmas I'd like a little bicycle, a doll baby, some dishes, and some cowboy boots. Don't forget Aunt Cindy and Uncle Stevie.
Love,
Stephanie
P.S. I'll leave some milk and cookies on the table for you.

Dear Santa,
I am 10 years old. I have two brothers Kevin and Kenny. Kevin is 7 and Kenny is 4. I would like to have a Twist and turn Barbie. Kevin would like to have Barrel of Monkeys and a rifle. Kenny would like to have a stuffed animal and a truck.
Thank you,
Love Donna,
Kevin, and Kenny
321 Lillian
Sikeston, Mo. 63801
P.S. There will be milk and Brownies on the coffee table.

Dear Santa,
I think I've been a pretty good girl this year. Would you please bring me a Dancerina, a pants suit, a set of dishes, and anything else you would like me to have.
I love you,
Robin Dawn Hoad
Rt. 4, Box 155-I
Sikeston, Mo.

Dear Santa,
For Christmas I would like a swinging doll, a bicycle, a fur coat, nd a record player. I am looking forward to seeing you this Christmas. I hope to leave you some cookies and milk on the table.
Your old friend
Donna Burns
P. O. Box 196
Matthews, Mo. 63867

Dear Santa,
For Christmas I would like a cowboy suit, a bicycle cars, trucks, a coat, and lots of other things. I hope to leave you some cake and milk on the table.
Your old friend,
Stanley Burns
P. O. Box 176
Matthews, Mo. 63867

Dear Santa,
My name is Bobby. I have been very good this year and am looking forward toward Christmas.
This year I'd like to have a Major Mat Mason set, a View-Master Disney Theatre, and a Booby Trap game. Also please send me a bigger tricycle because I outgrew my old one. I'm a big boy now.
Love,
Bob Kelso
Portageville, Mo.

Dear Santa,
My name is Thomas Crenshaw. I live at Morehouse with my two brothers and one sister. I am 7 years old and I am in the first grade. For Christmas I would like a toy car that runs by itself, and the lights work, also a game with cards, and a toy rifle, and last of all a pair of cowboy guns.
Love you always
Thomas Crenshaw

American Indians

It has been estimated there were 1,115,500 Indians living in North America at the time the New World was discovered. The 1960 census showed the Indian population of the United States to be 523,591.

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JACK ANDERSON SAYS: Hanoi, Viet Cong systematically slaughter civilians; North Vietnam boasts of killing women nd children; press plays up songmy, almost ignores cong murders.

Senate Gives Foundations Tax Reprieve

WASHINGTON (AP) — The Senate voted overwhelmingly today to eliminate from the tax reform bill a provision that would have ended the tax exemption privilege for private foundations after 40 years. Opponents had called the provision "a death sentence" for the foundations.

The action came before the Senate was set to consider adding an amendment to the bill to increase Social Security benefits Jan. 1 by 15 per cent—an action a ranking Republican senator said would increase the chances of a presidential veto of the entire bill.

The Finance Committee had approved the foundation provision after hearing testimony that hundreds of foundations had been set up for tax evasion purposes.

Sen. John O. Pastore, D-R.I., arguing to eliminate the provision, said, "If you keep this you're going to destroy something hat is fine and noble in America."

"Don't burn down the barn just to get one mouse," he shouted.

But Sen. Albert Gore, DTenn., a principal author of the provision, said the committee had found "the great majority of these foundations were set up for purposes of tax avoidance."

Many of them, he argued pay little or nothing in charitable and educational benefits.

Before the 69-18 vote on the foundations, acting Senate GOP Leader Robert P. Griffin told newsmen he "wouldn't bet against" a presidential veto if the Social Security increase were added to the bill.

Sen. Russell B. Long, D-La., chairman of Finance, said there was no question the Senate would approve the Social Security rider.

Long and Sen. Albert Gore, D-Tenn., chief sponsors of the amendment said they were convinced this procedure was the best way to assure passage of the Social Security boost before the 1969 session ends.

The rider is identical to the Social Security bill approved Wednesday by the House Ways and Means Committee.

Sponsors of that measure hope to get it passed in the House by next Thursday. But they were understood to have agreed it could be handled as an amendment to the tax bill rather than as separate legislation.

The amendment to delete the 40-year limit on the life of foundations was sponsored by Sen. Walter F. Mondale, D-Minn., who said the provision amounted to "a death sentence for all existing private foundations by 2010.

"The 40-year rule makes no distinction between foundations which have made vital contributions to the nation and to our society and those which serve individuals as tax shelters only," he declared.

But Gore, one of the authors of the limitation, answered that "this is no death sentence."

"It is time we put some reasonable limit on this tax exemption," he said.

Long agreed and said that future congresses could extend the life of foundations doing good.

The Senate continued to add to the revenue losses of the massive tax bill Thursday.

It adopted 46-41 an amendment of Sen. George Murphy, R-Calif., to restore full deduction of medical expenses of persons 65 and over and of such expenses paid by children for dependent parents 65 and over.

Since 1965, old persons have had the same deductions in this area as all others.

Long said the amendment would cost $225 million a year and would benefit chiefly old persons in high income brackets.

The Senate has voted previously for similar amendments, but they have been rejected by the House in conference.

Second Audience More Responsive To Urban Renewal Program

City officials fielded questions and objections last night on urban renewal at a meeting attended by 100 at the Sixth Street General Baptist church.

A few made antagonistic remarks.

For the most part, the audience appeared to be responsive.

This was the second informational meeting held on the subject. More hostile comments were heard at the first session in Sunset Addition.

Officials at the meeting were City Manager W. Raymert Miller, Mayor Arthur Ziegenhorn and Housing Director Bill Hanna.

Following the meeting, Miller spoke optimistically.

"A good and informative meeting," he said. "I believe the people are now beginning to get an understanding about this issue."

The city manager said he is more optimistic about the prospects for approval in Tuesday's election on the issue.

Miller opened the meeting by explaining that although Tuesday's vote may be favorable it does not guarantee any area in Sikeston would be eligible for urban renewal.

He said approval would make the city elegible for federal funds to be used in preparing a plan to determine if any area in Sikeston needs redevelopment. Areas probably most likely eligible for urban renewal would be Sunest and Smith additions.

Hahha went into the mechanics of urban renewal and explained if it is approved Tuesday the city council would appoint a five-man commission to study and recommend areas for redevelopment. After area designation, 20 persons from that area would comprise an advisory board that would in turn hire a consultant to develop a redevelopment plan. Hanna emphasized that urban renewal is a long-term project and that planning phase alone could take two or three years to complete. He said sewers and streets would be included in plans.

After completion of plans, the city council would have the authority to approve or reject proposals. If the council should approve a plan, the plan would then be subject to federal approval.

Miller and Hanna both said it is unfortunate that feasibility plans of possible urban renewal areas could not be made prior to Tuesday's election. They feel this would allow people on opportunity to know more of what urban renewal actually consists of.

Miller said the history of urban renewal has been such that people tend to feel the program is something "thrown down their throats." He explained the program has been redesigned during the past three years in such a way that removes this possibility. He explained urban renewal is a tool with which to "upgrade and improve areas" and it would have an effect on the entire populace of Sikeston, particularly those persons who need improved living conditions.

Hanna related it would not be hard to sell urban renewal to people if plans for redevelopment could be formulated prior to an election.

He assured the citizens there are "built-in guarantees" in urban renewal that assure "no one will suffer financially."

Hanna said the only losses possible would be those "sentimental in nature." There would be two independent appraisals, Hanna explained, on property cited for redevelopment to meet standard housing codes. Should a property owner be dissatisfied with appraisals, the persons would be allowed a cost - free court appeal. The court in turn would appoint referees to determine whether the appraisals are fair.

Hanna pointed out, that out of 3,000 property owners involved in urban renewal in Jefferson City, only 20 took cases to court "and urban renewal is the same nationwide."

Hanna continued:

"Say a person has a home valued at $6,000 and has to be replaced. If the property owner is required to build another home that would cost $10,000 and the person is in the low or moderate income bracket, that person could qualify for up to a $5,000 grant that would not have to be paid back."

Following this statement, a small elderly woman in the back of the room commented:

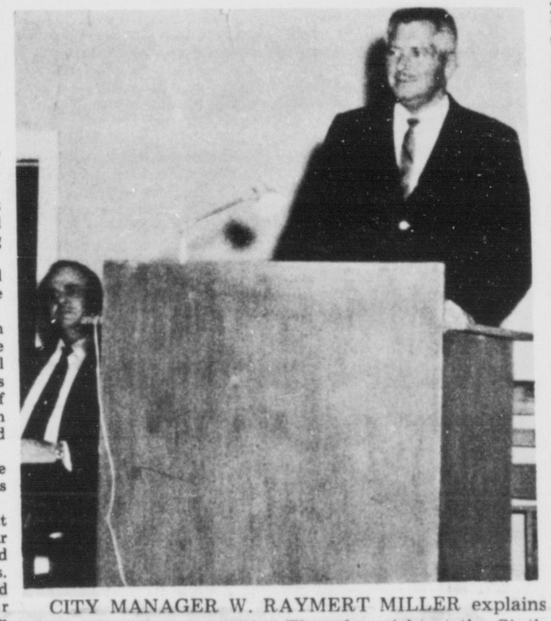
"Now that could be very interesting."

Hanna explained that costs above the $5,000 available would be allotted at a three per cent interest rate. He said up to $1,500 is available for low and moderate income persons for repairs necessary bo bring houses to acceptable standards. Anything above $1,500 also would have a three per cent interest rate.

Hanna said commercial properties are the same as residential in that the business owners would be paid for moving.

Regarding lot frontage, it was explained this would be determined in the plan. It has been noted in the past that lots should not have less than 50-foot frontage area.

Another inportant point, Hanna said, is a relocation plan for persons that is subject to federal approval. Federal relocation plan requirements are stringent, Hanna said, and "the interest of the people comes first."



CITY MANAGER W. RAYMERT MILLER explains urban renewal at a meeting Thursday night at the Sixth Street General Baptist church. Housing Director Bill Hanna is seated at the left.



MAYOR LLOYD HOGAN of East Prairie at his desk.

Colleges Protest Slashes

JEFFERSON CITY (AP) — One after another, spokesmen for Missouri's universities and colleges asked Thursday for restoration of their full budget requests for the 1970-71 fiscal year.

Gov. Warren E. Hearnes, hearing the appeals, said his recommendations could not be increased anywhere near the request levels until new revenue is found.

He reminded the spokesmen that only two of the 16 representatives from state college towns voted for his income tax bill last September.

The income tax increase now is in trouble, believed headed for a referendum test by the voters next year. Hearnes told the college spokesmen they better inform the public back home about their money needs for the colleges.

Presidents of the five state colleges said if the full request amounts aren't restored they feared they would lose good faculty members and be unable to recruit others.

Dr. Walter C. Daniels, presiden of once all Negro Lincoln University in Jefferson City, said he had the added problem of having schools from all over the country try to entice away his qualified Negro faculty members.

Dr. George A. Ulett, director of the Mental Health Division, said the entire mental health program was being jeopardized but his particular concern was the nursing home placement program. Under it custodial patiens are cared for in nursing homes, thus freeing mental hospital facilities for treating curable mental patients.

He asked restoration of the full $6,677,500 requested for that purpose. Hearnes has recommended $4,080,000.

City Needs to Help Old And Young; Mayor Says

EAST PRAIRIE -- Care for the elderly and meeting the needs of the young are worthy community goals, Lloyd Hogan, who has been serving as mayor under the city council - city manager form of government since August, said.

In answer to a question about the needs of a community"?, he said:

"I feel the basic needs for any community are to provide a safe, secure place for the elderly, provide decent housing, adequate water and sewer systems, and the community should challenge the younger generation that is a sense that it could provide a place for many of them."

When asked what he considered the present and future needs of the East Prairie community he replied:

"I would say the very present need of our community is an improved water system and a curb and guttering program that would take care of the open ditches and standing water in our streets. It is imperative that we improve our water system with a filtering system to be able to raise our standards to state specifications. Looking to the future we definitely need to plan an industrial program that could be time create jobs and futures for more of our community.

"Do I feel that East Prairie facilities are meeting today's needs?

Truthfully, No. We are getting by with our basic needs but the needs of all the people in the community are not being met. We still have not put sewers into First, Second and Third streets, neither are we in a position to annex valuable property.

What has been East Prairie's biggest step forward in the past few months?

"I believe that the activity and involvement of as many people in the last three or four electins has been a big step forward for East Prairie. Mainly, the one particular thing I believe, has been our decision to move from mayor - council to a council - manager form of city government has been the biggest

As an interim measure only all present food programs should be reformed and expanded, said the statement. This will be part of hundreds of recommendations to the President on virtually every conceivable aspect of food, nutrition and health.

The statement also cited what many antihunger crusaders consider congressional obstruction. All food programs should be switched from the Agriculture Department to the Department of Health, Education and Welfare with corresponding shifts in congressional committee responsibilities, it said.

The President's conference chairman, Dr. Jean Mayer, said there was "an escalation of concern for the poor" at the conference, and "I am perfectly satisfied with the results."

Before the conference closed, Mayer said the President had decided to give priority to establishing food stamps in 307 U.S. counties without them and upping the allowable purchasing power of food stamps from the current $65 to $106 a month for a family of four.

Caucuses of blacks, Puerto Ricans, Appalachian whites, Indians and Mexican-Americans said the President's action was not enough, that free food stamps should be given to all the poor immediately. They doubted the President had existing legal power to expand food stamps and said the Agriculture Department already announced the increased allowance.

At the close of the general conference session a poor group coalition said the conference remained in order and would do so until the President made free food stamps available.

But the delegates left the coalition with a group of some 20 people milling in the lobby of the conference hotel.

In a windup speech, Sen. Walter Mondale, D-Minn., told the delegates "We have flattered the hungry with everything except food."

"Surely if we can respond to victims of hurricanes, we can respond to the victims of hunger," the senator said.

Hunger Conference Delegates Ask More

WASHINGTON (AP) — President Nixon's White House hunger conference has told him in effect what has been done for the nation's hungry is not enough and what should be done should be done now.

The 3,000 delegates from all walks of life shouted acceptance of a statement calling on Nixon to declare a national hunger emergency, the government to guarantee an annual income floor of $5,500 and free lunch and breakfast programs for poor children.

A delegation of six participants planned to meet with the President today to stress the concern of the conference.

"There is a hunger and malnutrition emergency in this country today," the conference statement said Thursday. "Therefore, the Presiden must immediately declare that a national hunger emergency exists, and under existing authority must now free funds and implement programs to feed all hungry Americans this winter," the statement said.

single step we have made in the past few months. In regards to the workable program that has been approved for East Prairie if we, or should I say, when we understand to the fullest what this means to us, I am sure this will be considered a great step. The first thing that was brought about by the completion of our workable program was, of course, our public housing or low - rent housing, that is in the planning stage now. Contrary to what many people think, I feel that in time this will be a great asset to East Prairie, as it has been for many other small cities throughout Missouri. This is not something new. It is something we have lagged behind on in the last few years."

In regard to improvements planned on city streets, the water and sewer systems, Mayor Hogan said:

"The City Council very definitely has been making plans pertaining to the problems with our streets, water and sewers. The plans for our future water plant and sewer extensions, along with the problem of open ditches in town is now in the hands of our engineer.

Woman Killed In Car Plunge

Alice Maxwell, 55, route two, Hayti, a passenger in a 1969 Buick driven by Missie Lesley, 50, Little Rock, was dead on arrival at Pemiscot County Memorial hospital in Hayti, as result of a car accident, Thursday at 1:30 p.m.

The accident occurred on a county road, one mile east of route P, seven miles north of Hayti.

The body was taken to Osborn Funeral Home, Hayti.

The right side of the car ran off a wooden bridge, became overbalanced, fell and landed on its top on a steep enbankment.

Housing Loan For Illmo

The city of Illmo has received Housing and Urban Development approval of a $572,251 loan for construction of 30 triplex and duplex low rent homes, 24 of them homes for the elderly, a telegram from Washington D. C., reported today.

The site of the homes will be at the intersection of First and Hickory streets.

The telegram was signed by Congressman Bill Burlison and Senators Stuart Symington and Thomas F. Eagleton.

Men Fined on Larceny Charge

Jerry Lynn Jones and Terry Lynn Adams, both of Charleston, were fined $56 each in city court last night on charges of petit larceny. Judge James Sickal presided.

James Lee Western, 628 Linn, was fined $56 and given a 60- day suspended jail sentence for careless driving. The judge placed him on probation for one year.

Other persons fined for careless driving were Dale Shuffit, Vanduser, $12; Roy Hodgkins, 312 Selma, $18; Jesse Ledbetter, 322 Selma, $31; Lillian Kemp, 231 Young, $17, and Linnie T. Scally, $15.

Persons fined for public intoxication were Robert Mathis, 313 North Street, $12; Ernie Adams, 605 Smith, $12, and John Hickman, Canalou, $12.

New City Manager Will Arrive Monday

EAST PRAIRIE - The city council met last night with Mayor Lloyd Hogan presiding.

Jack Emory and Joe Webb, members of the housing authority, met with the council to discuss the acquisition of land for a low rent housing project.

An announcement was made that the new city manager, Glen Huntington from Colorado Springs will arrive Monday. A council meeting will be called when he arrives.

Police Chief Jake Abner stated that eight officers have completed the law enforcement training course offered at Sikeston. The board approved paying the milage of auxiliary police. Policemen will be paid their hourly wages for the 24 hours training.

The collector's report for Oct. 31 was $3,020.58. The total receipts for Nov. was $8,452.02 making a balance of $11,472.60.

The general fund disbursements for the month of Nov. was $7,586.60. The Nov. balance for the general fund was $3,886.00.

Judge J. Marvin Bryan reported a total of $230 fines collected in November.

Battery, Hub Caps Stolen

Ferrell Miller, 120 Gladys, reported to police today a battery was stolen from his car last night while parked at Imperial Bolwing Lanes.

Leonard Rose, Dexter, reported two hubcaps valued at $45 were stolen off his car on the parking lot at Missouri Delta Community Hospital between 2:30 p.m. and 5 p.m. Wednesday.

Three Charges Against Man

Police report W. T. Kirk, Essex, has been charged with driving while intoxicated, carrying a concealed weapon and careless driving.

Other arrests reported include Herman E. Grimes, peace disturbance; C. P. Condict, Morehouse, driving while intoxicated, and Daniel Sturgeon, 203 South Handy, careless driving.

Former Resident Editor

John H. Adams, 51, former Sikeston resident, has been named managing editor of U. S. News and World Report magazine, a national publication based in Washington, D. C.

Adams, who was promoted from associate executive editor, has been associated with the magazine since 1940.

Adams, a son of Dr. Lawrence B. Adams and a brother of Mrs. Wilson J. Ferguson, both of Sikeston, worked briefly with the Eugene, Ore., Daily News prior to joining U. S. News.

Adams, who is married and has three children, attended schools in Sikeston through the 10th grade. He finished high school at Sedalia and graduated from the University of Missouri in Columbia.

He left Sikeston in 1932.

NATO Calls For Troop Cut Talks

BRUSSELS (AP) — Fourteen foreign ministers of the North Atlantic Alliance agreed today to challenge the Soviet bloc to discuss mutual troop reductions as a demonstration that the Communists are really serious in proposing a European security conference.

France was reported holding aloof because it is not part of the North Atlantic Treaty Organization's unified military command. The French government believes, therefore, that it can have no part in a program of NATO-Warsaw Pact troop reductions.

The decision to renew the 18 month-old offer to talk troop reductions emerged at the windup session of the NATO Council of Foreign Ministers. The ministers were completing a joint declaration on East-West relations and on the Soviet bloc call for a Pan-European security conference in the next six months.

Foreign Minister Maurice Schumann of France also objected to a West German proposal that the alliance reject the Soviet bloc demand at its Moscow summit meeting Thursday for international recognition of the East German regime. Schumann said such a rejection would imply acceptance of the principle of negotiations between two blocs, and France opposes the division of Europe into blocs.

Outside Counsel Named to Aid Possible My Lai Cover-up Probe

WASHINGTON (AP) — Secretary of he Army Stanley R. Resor today reached outside the Army and appointed a special counsel to help in a probe of a possible cover-up in the original field investigation of the alleged My Lai massacre.

A Pentagon spokesman said Resor wanted a civilian counsel available to Lt. Gen. William R. Peers, head of the investigating board, to help assure "objectivity and impartiality."

Resor chose Robert MacCrate, partner in the New York law firm of Sullivan and Cromwell. The 48-year-old MacCrate in turn selected Jerome K. Walsh Jr., partner in the New York law firm of Walsh and Frisch, as his associate special counsel

Resor's move was announced as the Peers board prepared to take testimony from 1st Lt. William L. Calley Jr., who is facing court-martial on charges of killing at least 109 Vietnamese civilians in My Lai hamlet on March 16, 1968.

The eight-man board, made up mostly of military officers, is questioning witnesses in secret at the Army Operations Center, wo levels below rround in the Pentagon.

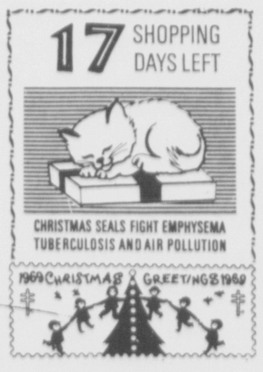
The mission of the Peers board is to determine why there was a falldown in the original investigation in April 1968 of reports of atrocities at My Lai.

According to the Army, that field investigation concluded the reports of unnecessary killings of civilians were groundless. The findings never went beyond division level, the Army has said, and the matter was reopened a year later only when a former soldier wrote letters to high government officials reporting eyewitness accounts of mass killings.

In the announcement of a new special counsel, Resor said he had approved a request by Peers for such a lawyer "not associated with the government."

MacCrate served as counsel o Gov. Nelson A. Rockefeller of New York from 1959 to 162. A former naval officer in World War II, MacCrate is a graduate of Haverford College and Harvard Law School.

Walsh, 37, graduated from Georgetown University and the University of Michigan law school, and served in the Army for two years. He formerly was associated with MacCrate's law firm.



Oran Man Elected President Of Land Bank Association

Walter R. Brown, attorney for Federal Land Bank Association, St. Louis for almost 35 years told an audience of more than 200 at the American Legion Hall, yesterday:

"I can't tell you the future of the lending market to farmers, but I will tell you that whatever it is the federal land bank will be there to assist you. The nation is now in a cooling off period and it may take three and one half years to complete it."

Charles N. Meier, Jackson, president of Sikeston Federal Land Bank Association was relected to the board for a three - year term. He was opposed by Oscar Mangels of Oak Ridge.

Vincent Dirnberger, Oran, was elected president to suceed Meier at the Association's annual meeting, and Dale Geske, Matthews, was chosen vice president. Manager Hal F. Robertson presided.

Brown said that since the federal loan act was passed by Congress in 1916 with 12 federal land banks in operation $630 million has been lent to 35,000 farmers. "I have been told that by 1980 there will be only 500,000 farms in the nation compared to three million, I don't believe it."

"Over the years 20 million people have moved to 224 urban areas" he continued. "They live on one per cent of the land. There will be more money borrowed by a fewer number of farm operators.

"Our association is the only association in the nation that can lend money at a lower rate than what it costs us because it is backed by Congress.

"Over one-half of the rural people live in subhousing," he said in reference to a continuing need for loans.

The St. Louis Federal Land Bank serves Missouri, Illinois and Arkansas, with 62 branches of which Sikeston is one.

Manager Robertson gave the financial report.

Mortgage loans outstanding for the fiscal year totaled $17,965,123. There were 73 loans closed during the fiscal year for $3,107,835. Not a single loan payment is past due.

Entertainment was furnished by the Sikeston high school chorus of 186 under the direction of Gordon Beaver.

News Briefs

Senators Prod Sergeant Probe

WASHINGTON (AP) — Senators have prodded the Pentagon to explain or substantiate reports that officials have found no grounds for prosecuting alleged illegal activities by Army sergeants.

Sen. Abraham Ribicoff, DConn., who conducted a series of public hearings into alleged service club rackets, requested the explanation Thursday from Secretary of Defense Melvin R. Laird.

Army investigators at the hearings said they believed the sergeants had been protected by a coverup at high levels of the Army.

Oahu Escapes Tide Damage

HONOLULU (AP) — The storm-battered north shore of Oahu Island escaped further damage early today when an expected monster surf crested a critical 10 feet lower than predicted.

More than 1,700 residens had been evacuated as the north shore, on the opposite side of the island from Honolulu, braced for towering walls of water.

The surf peaked at 30 feet at high tide, not high enough to cause property damage. This was 20 feet below the waves that smashed 58 homes and caused $1 million in property damage Monday.

Today's waves had been predicted to hit 40 feet, the height they reached Thursday. A midPacific storm some 1,000 miles northwest of Hawaii spawned the massive waves, officials said.

Weather

Rain likely and warmer tonight and Saturday. Low tonight from upper 30s to the 40s. Winds tonight southeasterly 12 to 20. Highs Saturday in the 50s. Probabilities of precipitation tonight 60 per cent, Saturday 80 per cent.

FIVE—DAY FORECAST

Temperatures Saturday through Wednesday will average near normal. Normal highs range near 50, lows in the low 30s. Precipitation will average one-half inch to one inch as rain or possibly snow Saturday.

HIGH AND LOW YESTERDAY

High and low temperatures for the 24-hour period ending at 7:30 a.m. today wer 42 and 25 degrees.

Sunset today.....4:41 p.m.
Sunrise tomorrow.....6:58 a.m.
Moonrise tomorrow.....3:54 a.m.
New Moon.....Dec. 9
PROMINENT STAR
Aldebaran in the east.. 7:05 p.m.
VISIBLE PLANETS
Saturn high in southeast 7:2£p.m.
Mars sets..... 9:46 p.m.
Jupiter above the moon.
Venus rises..... 6:07 a.m.

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POOR CHARLIE SAYS!
RIESEL'S REPORTS WEEKS AHEAD ON NEWS OF LABOR STRIFE IN TURBULENT '70

Once more the weighty New York Times has come in second to your columnist Victor Riesel on what will be a series of headline - making stories for several years to come. And once more the wire services have lagged behind Riesel on the same dramatic front.

On Monday, Dec. 1, the Times front - paged a roundup report on things to come on the turbulent labor scene. The long story ran under the head: "U. S. Faces Period of Labor Unrest. Unions Seeking Wage Gains to Offset Increases in Rising Living Cost."

Then virtually word for word came corroboration of a series of Victor Riesel's columns -- which began two months ago and culminated in a roundup piece on President Nixon's national emergency strike policy which Riesel dispatched Nov. 24 headed "Confidential Report: Nixon Studies Strategy to Take Presidency Out of Labor Strife -- Including National Emergency Strikes."

Everywhere now stories appear on the turbulence to come during 1970 and even 1971. Your columnist Victor Riesel anticipated this some 10 weeks ago when he filled a column under the head: "Massive Strikes Loom: President Nixon Facing National Labor Upheaval.

"This next 10 or 12 months," wrote Riesel, "may see chain reaction strikes hitting General Electric, and other electronic and electrical equipment manufacturers; midnight railroad stoppages; a national over - the - road general truck stoppage; wildcats in the mine fields and a lusty battle between Walter Reuther's United Auto Workers and the motor industry ..."

Thus it has gone on story after story. On Oct. 27, Riesel wrote that there would be tough construction strikes "tougher than 1969 ..." This was one of Riesel's "Inside the White House" pieces.

On Oct. 27, Riesel wrote of "President's '70 Woes: Strike Wave to Sweep Over U. S. as Rank and File Pushe For 10% Annual Hike."

On Dec. 1, the Times roundup spoke of the rail, GE, construction, trucking and auto crises which Riesel has been predicting and analyzing for more than two months.

Thus, on what will make soaring headlines in what might well be called the searing seventies, Victor Riesel is way up front -- and will be as the years of labor roll over the nation again.

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Keeping a person in hot water is no way to make him tender.

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Ben Franklin said it: Man's tongue is soft, and bone doth lack;
Yet a stroke there with may break a mans back.

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Heard at the coffee table: "The wise can learn by listening to the ignorant."

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A NO FOR RED CHINA

Once again as in years past the United Nations General Assembly voted to retain the Republic of China as a membernation and not seat Red China. The vote was 48 nations in favor of kicking the free Chinese out of the UN and giving their seat to the Communists, and 56 nations opposing the action. Indonesia, the same as last year, was conveniently absent during the balloting. Twenty-one countries chose to play both ends against the middle by abstaining. We were sorry to see that Canada was in that number. We wonder how Mr. Trudeau, the Canadian Prime Minister, is going to explain this to the Chinese - Canadians, who called on him to reject the Peiping regime that holds their families, friends and relatives in bondage.

The vote on this issue has not been close since 1965 when the tally was 547-47 with 20 abstentions. Even that was far short of the two-thirds majority required to pass.

It is unfortunate that the countless millions of people living in slavery behind the Bamboo Curtain, where there is no free press, will be denied the right to know which nations voted to recognize their slavemasters. We thought you might like to have that information which is denied to them. For the record: the 48 United Nations members who voted this year to oust free China and seat the Communist Peiping regime:

Afghanistan	Ghana	Romania
Albania	Guinea	Somalia
Algeria	Hungary	Southern Yemen
Bulgaria	India	Sudan
Burma	Iraq	Sweden
Burundi	Kenya	Syria
Byelorussian SSR	Libya	Uganda
Cambodia	Mali	Ukrainian SSR
Ceylon	Mauritania	Union of Soviet Social Republics
Congo (Brazzaville)	Mauritius	United Arab Republic
Cuba	Mongolia	United Kingdom
Czechoslovakia	Morocco	United Republic of Tanzania
Denmark	Nepal	Yemen
Ethiopia	Nigeria	Yugoslavia
Finland	Norway	Zambia
France	Pakistan	
	Poland	

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Highway traffic problems can be solved with trains. According to the Railway Progress Institute, a single rail line can handle as much traffic as five lanes of buses on expressways, or 20 lanes of automobiles under normal metropolitan conditions. The number of people in three crowded expressway lanes stretching for one mile can be carried in one 10-car train.

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"Heinie" Henry, the sage of China town says: "The only time a man remembers that he has any complexion at all is when he selects a new necktie, and the salesman tells him so."

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The Colonel said: "The first thing a woman does when she falls in love with a man is to imagine that he is the smartest man in the world, but the man should know better than to allow her to convince him.

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THE TEST AHEAD

According to "South," the News Magazine of Dixie, "There are 100 taxes on an egg, 150 on a woman's hat, 151 on a loaf of bread, and 600 on a house. But our national debt has soared to $360 billion -- and Representative Otto Passman of Louisiana figures it now exceeds by $43 billion the total debt of all other free nations.

"As inflation continues to take its bite, Secretary Maurice Stans points out that it stems primarily from $50 billion in government deficits over the past five years. 'During that period,' he says, 'the country was deluded into thinking we could somehow get more out of the economy than the economy could produce. All we had to do was spend more money. This delusion has now collided with reality.'"

As the delusion that government handouts are free is shown as sheer fakery, the true generosity of voters and taxpayers will be put to a severe test. Will welfare programs seem as attractive when the people see the size of their price tags? Will the people have the wisdom to support essential defense spending at the cost of personal sacrifice?

The way the taxpayers resolve such questions will determine the future course and strength of the nation.

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As we have said before and probably will say several more times in the future, High Interest rates charged by banks and financial institutions are the most leading thing in bringing this country to a complete slow down in business. It even brought forth the following editorial in the Wednesday Glove - Democrat.

TIGHT MONEY BRINGING OUT SHARKS

Money is so scarce now that some businesses are literally having to submit to demands on profits or property in order to get loans.

Take the recent case of Bermec Corp., a company listed on the New York Stock Exchange.

In order to borrow $3 million from an insurance company to save the Black Watch Farms, Inc., division of Bermec from bankruptcy, Bermec's chairman Herman L. Meckler had to sell a half interest in Black Watch Farms to the insurance company for $1, and pay 10 per cent as well on the $3 million loan.

Telling of the conditions that prevail in today's money market, Meckler said, "We had a choice of borrowing money under these terms or seeing imminent bankruptcy for Black Watch."

"If they had insisted they wanted all of Black Watch for the $3 million loan, I would have given it to them - with the consent of the board of directors," he added.

This is what the tight money policy is sometimes leading to. Bermec's case is not an isolated example.

Meckler said this "humiliating experience" resulted from a combination of high interest rates and the scarcity of money which hurt Bermec's truck-leasing business as well as Black Watch's ability to get working capital. Black Watch's sales were hurt by uncertainty about the proposed tax-reform legislation that could affect the current favorable treatment of owners of breeding cattle.

In the past year, according to The Wall Street Journal, the practice of forcing borrowers to grant lenders a share of profits (but not losses), a percentage of rents and clauses that can raise interest rates has become widespread.

Thus we see that the "stabilization" the government seeks to bring about, by allowing excessive interest rates and tight money, actually is pushing some businesses to the wall.

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The lucky thing about spoiled children is that you never have them in your own family.

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Secretary: a popular girl who helps you take her telephone calls.

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If the cost of living continues to rise, newlyweds may have to do without some things their parents never could afford.

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Ray Moll, the Light Plant engineer-retired navy officer, says things easiest to raise are hardest to eat - rhubarb and parsnips, for example,

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Heard at the coffee table: "A business seldom amounts to enough to give all the employes the rewards they deserve.

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School and College Fires in the U. S. average about 8,300 a year, National Fire Protection Association studies show. Losses amount to some $46 million - much of it in publicly - supported institutions.

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Hal Boyle

By KEN HARTNETT
Associated Press Writer

WASHINGTON (AP) — The year before, Marta spent each day yawning and for her husband, Jim, anger was a way of life.

They were in the city then, two struggling artist-radicals—young, vaguely in love, and talented.

But, he hated the fawning patrons who came to judge and occasionally—only occasionally—buy their paintings. He hated the bills and the bill collectors. He hated the television set and the concrete cubicle that was their apartment.

And, most of all, he hated his job with its formalities and routines.

And she feared the competitiveness of her work against his and feared that his seething anger would sooner or later seize on her. And she also hated the city with its congestion and rules and distractions. So, she yawned and he hated her yawning.

So one day, this past summer, he quit his job. She quit hers. They gathered the possessions they loved, which were few, and packed them into a rented pickup truck and headed for the great forests of the Pacific Northwest.

They found a little cabin by a remote lake. The owner rented it to them for a fraction of what they had been paying in the city and they settled down.

She began baking bread and learned how to clean the trout that he found in the lake. And he began cutting lumber for their wood stove.

He let his hair grow long so that it tumbled down his shoulders and he threw away his razor. His muscles grew hard. jhe stopped smoking cigarettes.

Their few neighbors let them alone or when they dropped by did so to drop off a grouse or a pheasant. No one seemed to care hat they wore their hair long or decorated their home with musty old portraits and pop bottles or that his only job was pumping gas down on the highway when a few dollars could come in handy.

They know it can't last, that sooner or later the population surge will find them, their cash reserves will run out completely or they may even get bored.

But, they don't care about what will happen, only what's happening.

And they say that for now they have found paradise on earth. He isn't angry anymore and she yawns only when she is tired.

"I Have a Feeling He's Trying to Tell Us Something!"



TOMORROW
DECEMBER 6 - SATURDAY

DAY OF QUITO. Dec. 6. Ecuador. Commemorates founding of city by Spaniards in 1534.

INDEPENDENCE DAY or SUOMEN ITSENAISYYSPAVIA. Dec. 6. Finland. Declaration of independence from Russia on this day, 1917.

MEMORIAL DAY. Dec. 6. Arkansas.

NATIONAL FOOD BROKERS ASSOCIATION CONVENTION. Dec. 6-10. New York, NY.

ST. NICHOLAS DAY. Dec. 6. Belgium and other European nations. Children receive gifts.

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The wedding date was set and the groom's three pals - a carpenter, an electrician and a dentist - were deciding what pranks to play on the couple on their wedding night.

The carpenter figured sawing the slats of their bed would give them a chuckle or two.

The electrician decided he'd wire the bed - with alternating current of course.

The dentist wouldn't commit himself but wore a sly grin and promised a real lulu. The nuptials went off as planned, and a few days later each of the groom's buddies received the following note:

"Dear Friend: We didn't mind the bed slats being sawed and the electric shock was only a minor thing. But, I'm gonna kill the guy who put the novacaine in the vaseline!"

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OUR SYMPATHIES, COMRADE

The establishment, it appears, is concerned about movies emphasizing violence, crime and drunkenness.

The film industry has gone overboard, a top law man charges, on pictures of the type "where pasions are whipped up to an absurd point and all meaning is lost in a chaos of horror."

Not exactly news on the U. S. scene, but the scene in this case happens to lie elsewhere - in the Soviet Union.

A recent dispatch out of the land of Lenin quotes Lt. Gen. Ivan Golovchenko, interior minister of the Ukraine, as charging Soviet movies with direct responsibility for an alarming increase in juvenile delinquency. One-third of the young inmates of corrective labor camps got there because of crimes committeed under the influence of movies, says Golovchenko, who is in a position to speak with some authority since he runs the camps.

If nothing else, it may indicate that the Soviets may at least have found an area of competition with the decadent West in which they stand a chance of catching up.

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A Negro couple went into a Southern, all-white night club. As they arrived the maitre d' ran up to the boss and said, "Boss, we got a colored couple here. What are we gonna do??"

The boss thought a moment and then said, "Raise the drinks to $2, $4, $8 - keep doubling the price on them. We'll get rid of them in no time."

An hour later the maitre d' went back to his boss and anxiously told him the couple were now up to $64 a drink. "What do we do? What we do?" he asked.

The boss looked at him and said, "Get rid of the white trash."

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A bachelor is like a detergent. Works fast and leaves no ring.

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"I'm on my way to buy a waffle iron."

"Don't be silly. Who ever heard of ironing waffles?"

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Man showing doctor his wife's hand: "She did it preparing dinner," he said. "It's frostbite."

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Washington Merry - Go - Round

By Jack Anderson

WASHINGTON--This column has been shown a stack of documents, many of them classified, which prove beyond any doubt that the U.S. command has striven to prevent atrocities in Vietnam but that Hanoi has actually encouraged atrocities.

The evidence is overwhelming that the communists have used murder and massacre, as a matter of policy, to eliminate political opponents and terrorize the population. The Americans, in contrast, have issued strict orders against cold-blooded killings and have brought pressure to stop their SouthVietnamese allies from violating the Geneva code.

Also, the U.S. painfully investigates its own atrocities, whereas Hanoi has tried to justify communist war crimes.

Yet the American outrages, such as the Green Beret murder and the Songmy massacre, are blown up in the world press, which scarcely takes notice of worse communist atrocities.

--IGNORED MASSACRES--

On Dec. 5, 1967, for instance, the Viet Cong surged into the Montagnard village of Dak Son near the Cambodian border, scorching the huts with flame throwers and heaving hand grenades indiscriminately. More than 200 noncombatants, 70 per cent of them women and children, were killed. The Viet Cong abducted another 400 villagers as forced laborers.

Reporters were shown the charred evidence, and survivors told their stories. But the press paid almost no attention.

On Feb. 23, 1969, North Vietnamese forces overran the hamlet of Kno Horing, wildly shooting and burning. They set fire to more than one-third of the shelters in the village. When the occupants tried to flee, the proops mercilessly gunned them down. All told, 78 were killed by gunfire, 100 were burned to death and 125 homes were destroyed.

Again, reporters were invited to inspect the remains and to interview the survivors. But the newspapers ignored the story.

Perhaps the most shocking war crimes were uncovered in Hue while the communitst held the ancient city during the Tet offensive.

"Despite the intense fighting in the city," declares a State Department document, "cadres equipped with lists of names and addresses on clipboards went about arresting and executing Vietnamese and foreigners who were of significance in the community. Often their wives and children were executed with them."

A State Department telegram, dated May 6, 1968, and stamped "confidential," gave this preliminary report of what the U.S. forces found after driving the NorthVietnamese out of Hue:

"More than 1,000 people were executed by the NVA (North Vietnamese) and Viet Cong in the Hue area during the communist Tet offensive. The victims were found in 19 separate mass grave sites. Many had been shot, some beheaded. A number of bodies showed signs of mutilation.

"Most were found with hands bound behind their backs. Almost half of the victims were found in conditions indicating they had been buried alive. Many were found bound together in groups of 10 to 15, eyes open, with dirt or cloth in their mouths."

--GLORIFYING MASSACRE--

Subsequent discoveries have boosted the number of victims, more than half of them women and children, to 3,500. Yet Hanoi, instead of showing any remorse over the incident, has given the massacre its official blessing.

On April 27, 1968, Radio Hanoi glorified the Hue massacre and described the helpless victims as Hooligan lackeys who had owed blood debts to the (communist) compatriots and who were annihilated by the Southern armed forces and people."

Indeed, cold-blooded killings have become everyday affairs in the wake of the Viet Cong. Their own documents tell how they systematically exterminate anti-communists, including Nationalist party members who oppose both Hanoi and Saigon rule. Quotas are even set, in communist fashion, to make sure the extermination policy is carried out. A typical document, caputed by U.S. forces in Quang Ngai province, boasts: "The anti-revolutionaries have become confused and panic-stricken because of our ever greater exploits scored during the recent (offensive). We killed 96 tyrants, captured 148 who owed blood debts to the people, and destroyed or disintegrated many rural pacification teams....

"Targets for elimination are members of the (Nationalist) party committees at province and district levels, the senior party members and the secretaries of village party committees....

"The destruction of Nationalist party reactionaries is not a one-shot affair. It is a continuous process. We must destroy them by every means available....We must do this in such a way that the National party committee members at district and village levels will be frightened into abandoning their activities, theri offices and their party."

The U.S. documents, made available to this column, stress American concern for innocent civilians, helpless prisoners and other non-combatants. When a South Vietnamese soldier shot a guerrilla pinned in the wreckage of a bridge and an unidentified American officer commented that U.S. forces also shot wounded Viet Cong, for example, the incident precipitated an immediate and typical investigation.

"We have said," declares a Pentagon report, "such acts are contrary to the Geneva conventions, that we do not condone them and that U.S. forces have clear instructions on the treatment of prisoners.

"The GVN (South Vietnamese government is investigating to determine who was responsible for the shootiing and MACV (the U.S. command) is trying to determine whether there is any basis to the allegation about acts committed by U.S. forces. MACV has forcefully reiterated its directives on treatment of prisoners and the liability for punishment under the military code of justice."

This report was dated March 11, 1968--five days before the Songmy massacre.

OH, WHO READS IT ANYWAY?

Ever wonder who reads newspaper advertising? One of the most recent surveys shows that:

He is likely to be more intelligent and literate than people who respond to other types of advertising.

He is likely to have more money to spend than other people.

She is over 80% of the women who go grocery shopping.

If she is older, she gives advice on foods, electrical appliances, sewing and parties.

He is nearly every man considering the purchase of an automobile, tractor or truck.

He is a boy looking for a puppy; or someone with a litter of mongrels needing a home.

If she is a teenager, she sets the pace in selecting skirts, slacks and sneakers.

He is a lawyer looking for a typist; or a typist looking for a job.

He is a builder looking for a loan; or a banker looking for an investment.

The newspaper reader is someone looking for a house to rent; or someone trying to rent a house.

He or she is the whole community with unsatisfied wants of many kinds.

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Our councilman has just decided not to run for Congress. He'd rather remain a big fraud in a little pond.

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"Can you let me have a dime for carfare?"

"Sorry, fellow, all I have is a dollar bill."

"That'll do. I'll take a taxi."

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THE UNEXAMINED LIFE

The woman who sat at the complaint desk of a large department store kept her voice low and pleasant even when listening to the most unreasonable criticisms of dissatisfied customers, some of whom spoke rudely to her. And she always had a smile for everyone. A passerby in the store was quite amazed at this. Then she noticed the woman's dark red earrings. On one, in white lettering, was inscribed "in" and on the other "out."

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INDUSTRY HELPS RAISE FUNDS FOR 4-H PROJECTS

American business and industry has created the National 4-H Club Foundation Advisory Council to assist the man on the farm. Formed a year ago by 110 corporate executives and having completed its organization period, its first task will be helping 4-H raise funds for the expansion of a national center in suburban Washington, D. C.

Among the industry advisors is Arthur E. Larkin, president of General Foods Corporation. After completing a successful 4-H fund drive in the food industry last year he has been named to the Advisory Council and will head the Gold Clover campaign for contributions from individuals and companies to support the foundation.

General Foods also sponsors a Food-Nutrition Awards program and the company is now underwriting the costs of the preparation by the U. S. Department of Agriculture of five manuals on food and nutrition.

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RAILS DO HAVE A FUTURE -- HERE ARE REASONS WHY

Railroads do have a future -- and I have reasons for thinking so.

For present purposes I'll limit my "arguments" to four:

1. Railroads have inherent advantages.

2. Railroads are good for the nation.

3. Railroads are needed.

4. Railroads are adjusting rapidly to advancing technology and shippers' needs.

Let me say just a few words about these four elements in the railroad "survival kit."

Railroads are blessed with inherent advantages over other modes of transportation. At least seven such inherent advantages come to mind.

1. The steel wheel on the steel rail has less propulsive resistance than other forms of transport.

2. Railroads have greater capacity to move large volumes over great distances at reasonable speed and at low cost.

3. They have greater fuel economy.

4. They have greater present -- and future -- transportation capacity.

5. Railroads have an existing plant.

6. They have existing rights of way without further scalping of the earth as in highway and airport construction.

7. Railroads are almost "immune" to weather troubles.

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Two boy silkworms were chasing a girl silkworm. They ended up in a tie.

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SLIGHT DIFFERENCE

Puffing and blowing, the sailor just managed to jump into a carriage as the train left the station.

The middle-aged man in the corner eyed him with scorn.

"When I was your age, my lad," he said, "I could run a half mile, catch a train by the skin of my teeth, and yet be as fresh as a daisy."

"Yes," gasped the young fellow, "but I missed this one at the last station."

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SIGN LANGUAGE

Card in jeweler's window on a string of pearls: "Made in Japan - by oysters"

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The three old men met on the street corner and were discussing their problems brought on by old age. The first sighed and said, "Well, you think you've got problems, but I'm going deaf and believe me there's just nothing worse."

The second old man shook his head solemnly and spoke, "That's not half as bad as me. I'm losing my eyesight and there's just nothing worse than that."

"Oh, I don't know," the third old fellow answered. "It seems that I'm losing my mind and that's terrible. It's so bad now that I can't remember things anymore. Why the other night, I walked my date to the door and she looked at me and said, 'Old man, you've had it' and you know I couldn't remember whether I had or not?"

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Today is the day to make friends tomorrow is the day you may need them.

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The air pollution around here has gotten so bad some people are scared to clear their sinuses.

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On church marquee: "Come in, Today is pray day"

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Dear Abbegail: A girl asked if she had done wrong when she downed three martinis, champagne and two brandies with her boy friend.

"Probably," Abby answered.

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WORTH TRYING

Have your good garments moth - proofed before storing for summer. This treatment can save you lots of money ... You can remove many perspiration stains from washable clothing by putting a thick paste of baking soda over the stained area and leaving it on for about fifteen minutes ... Ink stains come out of washable clothes if the area is first soaked in sour milk or buttermilk, then laundered as usual.

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TRENDS

One of the biggest sportswear fashions of a few years ago has bounced back into favor and is heading for popularity with the well dressed man. We refer to velours, once again available in new styles ... Fashion people are predicting the stickpin will make a comeback. It is a "natural" with wide tires ... Watch for another revival from the '30's -- linen and the look - of - linen in suits, jackets and slacks. It's already available in the new clothing models.

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Mother rushed into the playroom when she heard her five - year - old son screaming and found that the baby daughter was pulling his hair.

"Never mind," she tried to comfort him, "your baby sister doesn't understand that it hurts you."

She hadn't been out of the room for a minute when more shrieks sent her running back. This time the baby was crying.

"What's the matter with the baby?" she asked the boy

"Nothing much," he replied calmly. "Only now she knows."

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AN OLDEE-

During the lunch time rush crowd, many of the restaurant customers shared their tables with strangers. The very proper spinster selected a seat next to an attractive, young office girl. The girl finished her sandwich and coffee, then settled back and lit up a cigarette. The older woman controlled herself for a few moments and then snapped, "I'd rather commit adultry than smoke in public."

"So would I," said the girl, "but I only have half an hour for lunch."

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NEW OBSTACLE COURSE FOR AUTO DRIVING TESTS

How will the figure eight plus 2.6 equal better highway driving?

The figure eight is the shape of the proposed 2.6 miles of roadway to be a test - pattern for every conceivable type of driving hazard.

Called the Oval - Eight, it is the creation of the Transportation and Traffic Safety Center of the Pennsylvania State University.

Once inside the pattern the student driver can find anything from a four-lane, fourway intersection to traffic lights, to a six-block city layout complete with curbinb to those off - and-on ramps of a freeway that sometimes sneak up on you.

This $1 million pilot site is to be constructed on a 72-acre plot of land on the campus, and it is intended to determine whether or not more sophisticated techniques of testing drivers can lead to improved traffic safety.

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Gail Martin says her idea of true happiness is dying - and then rolling around heaven all day.

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Georgia has become the 34th state to adopt reflectorized license plates. The Peach State will start using them in 1971. Studies have shown that reflectorized plates are a definite factor in reducing collisions on the highway at night.

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Ah, sweet April, this instant of blessed repose betwixt snow blower and lawn mower!

Women's Page

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Phone 471-1137

Notice

Sikeston's Child Development Center is in need of men or women to serve as volunteer aids, replacing several who have moved away. If you can give two and a half hours, on a weekly basis, or if you can be a substitute worker, please phone the Center at 472-0132, or Mrs. Warren Manning (471-5523) or Mrs. Keith Collins (471-1092).

Grishams to Celebrate 50th Anniversary

A reception will be held Sunday in the Southside Baptist church of Charleston to honor Mr.and Mrs. Salia Grisham, 204 South Street, Charleston.

The Grishams' son, J. D. Grisham, and family of Royal Oak, Mich., will host the reception, from 2 until 4 p.m.

Fabulous Values! Lucky, lovely Linde Star



Pendant by Anson

If you've never seen the magic of a Linde* star, see it now. Watch the star appear, dance and glow, just as in far more costly natural gems. A man-made miracle at low cost.

Pendant (claret-red Linde) $15.00
Matching earrings, 14K posts $22.50

Wright's Jewelry
125 N. New Madrid
Raymond & Betty

Volunteers Welcome

More volunteers are welcome at the Sikeston Regional Diagnostic Clinic.

Men, women and high school students interested in helping with he children are invited to attend a meeting of the Clinic Volunteers Thursday at 7:30 p.m. in the Clinic. A film will be shown.

More information may be obtained from Mrs. Judy Lopp, at 471-9455 or from Mrs. W. S. Corrigan at 471-5814.

(CHILLIWACK, B.C. (AP) — June Berg couldn't stand the old chair she had picked up at an auction, so she burned it.

Soon after she set the chair afire, her children ran up to her clutching handfuls of large-denomination bills that had appeared as the fabric burned away.

The Bergs recovered $1,100 but have no idea how much money may have been destroyed.

It has been estimated that 105 million American travelers will cover 200 billion miles of annual vacations by the end of 1969.

The Gospel Visitor

By: REEDUS M. BAUGHER

We are presently endeavoring to show, that the church of the New Testament (Matt. 16:18), is different from all other religious institutions and systems. Last week we showed that it is different from: (1) Paganism, mainly because, of its belief in One Supreme God. Today, we will show that it is different from (2) Judaism, mainly because, of its belief in Jesus Christ as the Son of God.

Judaism is the religion of Jews who reject Christ and cling to the Mosaic law, John writes of Jesus, "He came unto his own, and his own received him not." (Jno. 1:11) There is no excuse for any people refusing the Christ, ye the Jews are the least excusable of all, for the Lord encouraged them to, "search the scriptures; for in them ye think ye have eternal life: and they are they which testify of me." (Jno. 5: 39) He also added, "And ye will not come to me, that ye might have life." spake unto you, while I was yet with you, that all things must be fulfilled, which were written in the law of Moses, and in the prophets, and in the psalms, concerning me." (Lk. 24:44).

In rejecting Christ, the Jews: Rejected only means of salvation. Jesus said to them, "I said therefore unto you, that ye shall die in your sins: for if ye believe not that I am he, ye shall die in your sins." (Jno. 8:24) Peter said of Him, "There is the stone which was set at nought of you builders, which is become the head of the corner. Neither is there salvation in any other: for there is non other name under heaven given among men, whereby we must be saved." (Acts 4:11-12). In rejecting Christ, the Jews: Dishonored God. Christ, speaking to His apostles said, "He that heareth you heareth me; and he that despiseth you despiseth me; and he that despiseth me despiseth him that sent me." (Lk. 10:16) Notice also, "That all men should honour the Son, even as they honour the Father. He that honoureth not the Son honoureth not the Father which hath sent him." (Jno. 5:23).

Judaism and Christianity are antagonistic. "Christ is become of no effect unto you, whosoever of you are justified by the law; ye are fallen from grace." (Gal. 5:4), "Wherefore, my brethren, ye also are become dead to the law by the body of Christ..." (Rom. 7:4)

Women's Meetings

The Bess Truman Club of New Madrid County met at Hickory Village, Portageville for their annual Christmas party. Twenty four members attended.

After a Christmas luncheon, the meeting was opened with the Lords Prayer and the Pledge of Allegiance to the flag of United States of America.

Christmas gifts were exchanged and Mrs. Virginia Beis won the drawing for the Christmas cake.

When you care enough to send the very best - HALLMARK CHRISTMAS CARDS from Shy's Rexall.

Hospital Notes

MISSOURI DELTA COMMUNITY: Released:
Mary F. Brantley, East Prairie
Glen Keller, Sikeston
Lenora Edwards, Sikeston
Mrs. Brenda Eaves and Baby Boy, Morley
Madison Moore, Sikeston
Carol Presley, Sikeston
Nannett Morris, Sikeston
Willie Richardson, Matthews
Mrs. Emma Townsend and Baby Girl, New Madrid
Carolyn Schott, Oran
Dana Sullenger, Marston
Melissa Mammock, Morehouse

DEXTER MEMORIAL: Admitted:
Leslie E. Lee, Bloomfield;
Mayme Jones, Brownwood;
Lozettie Smith, Essex;
Released:
Sidney Shadown, Dexter;
Gertrude Hayes, Sikeston;
Albert Johnson, Sikeston

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Don C. Glover

Slides of Holy Land To Be Shown Tonight

Don C. Glover, minister of the Shady Acres Church of Christ, 1440 Ables Road, will show color slides of the tour he made last summer to the lands of the Bible. Glover, whose three- weeks' trip was financed by his congregation, visited Egypt, Lebanon, Cyprus, Israel, Turkey (ancient Asia Minor), Greece, Rome, and London.

The slides will be shown tonight at 7 p.m., at the church. The public is invited. There is no charge. No collection will be taken.

New Arrivals

BAUGHER — Mr. and Mrs. Loy Mac Baugher are parents of a girl, Dana Marie, born Thursday in Missouri Delta Community Hospital. She weighed 8 pounds 7 ounces.

Maternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Carl Dial, Route 4, Sikeston (Crowder). Paternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Loy Baugher, Sikeston.

BIXLER — Mr. and Mrs. Cardell Bixler, Canalou, are parents of Alan Braden, born Nov. 28. The couple has two daughters.

Paternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Melton Bixler.

SCHRECKENBERG — Son to Mr. nd Mrs. Patrick George Schreckenberg of Marble Hill, Southeast Missouri Hospital, 9:42 a.m. Tuesday. Name, Patrick Wayne. Weight 5 pounds 10 ounces. First child. Mrs. Schreckenberg is the former Miss Fern Ellen Diamond, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Diamond of Benton, Mr. Schreckenberg is employed by Midwest Pallet Co. at Lutesville, and is the son of Mr. and Mrs. George Schreckenberg of Leopold.

MCDANIEL — Mr. and Mrs. James McDaniel, Granite City, Ill.; are parents of a girl born Thursday in Missouri Delta Community Hospital.

Church Council Prexy Open-minded to Ideas

DETROIT (AP) — Cynthia Wedel first women elected president of the National Council of Churches, says, "My hopes and plans are only to be as open as possible to ideas and people."

Mrs. Wedel, 61, an Episcopalian, said she could not plan beyond this because "we don't know what new crisis will arise tomorrow or next week."

The blue-eyed, brown-haired psychologist was elected Thursday to head the 20-year-old organization which represents 33 Protestant and Orthodox denominations with 42 million members.

She won 387 to 93 over the Rev. Dr. Albert Cleage, a Negro and pastor of Detroit's Church of the Black Madonna.

Mrs. Wedel is the wife of a noted theologian, the Rev. Dr. Theodore O. Wedel. They live in Alexandria, Va., where she is associate director of a psychological research institute, the Center for Volunteerism of the National Institute of Applied Behavioral Sciences.

She is a long-time ecumenical leader, both in the National and World councils of churches, serving in their assemblies in this country and abroad. Mrs. Wedel also has served as a National Council vice president and has been a member of various presidential commissions including one on the status of women appointed by President John F. Kennedy.

Mrs. Wedel said her policy of openness applies particularly to "the young, the blacks, the poor, the oppressed."

"Our old ways of doing things are not adequate. There must be big changes, and they must be made faster than we think possible," she said.

"I'm quite sure that God, along with the young, the blacks, and the others, cares very little for our traditions, our accustomed procedures."

She suggested that perhaps there should be special pressure groups serving as constant prods to the council—a youth caucus, a woman's caucus, an Indian caucus, a Spanish-American caucus, a laymen's caucus.

Although she allied herself here with women pressing for more woman power in church establishments, she said she was not personally militant about the issues "because I was always one of the few lucky women who happened to be in positions of some power."

But she said she understands "how frustrating it is for many women" seeking consideration on a basis of ability rather than sex.

Chrismon Tree To Bloom At First Christian

The Chrismon tree originated in 1957 by a woman in Virginia who felt that the church Christmas tree should be more meaningful to the true spirit of Christmas. The term "Chrismon" was coined from the two words "Christs' monograms," or symbols relating to the life of our Lord.

The women of the First Christian Church started their project in 1968, after collecting simulated pearls, gold beads, mesh, sequins, etc. Using some patterns of Greek letter symbols, they fashioned the many white and gold ornaments that adorn the tree. The white and gold represents the purity and majesty of Christ. The sketches, from which the Chrismons were made, are from copies of carvings or drawings made by some of the earliest Christians. Some were found in the catacombs in Rome, others came from early day jewelry, utensils, and ornaments on buildings. They were used so early Christians could identify each other or find the meeting places, when followers of Jesus were persecuted and their gatherings forbidden. These symbols consist of many types of crosses and some symbols Mary might have used remembering Jesus' childhood and might direct ones thoughts to the true meaning of Christmas.

Many viewed the tree last year, and many more have expressed a wish to see it; so the members of the Christian Women's Fellowship, with Mrs. Earl Jarvis as president and Mrs. Durward Penry as Chrismon chairman, invite all who wish to share a meaningful experience, to a tea, in the fellowship hall on Sunday, December 7 from 2 until 4.

Social Calendar

FRIDAY

OES Birthday Club will meet at 12 noon for a pot luck. Bring a $1 exchange gift.

SATURDAY

Annual Christmas Bazaar of St. Paul's Episcopal church at 10 a.m. at the parish house on Highway 61 North.

SATURDAY

Annual installation of officers for the Sikeston chapter of the Order of Eastern Star will be held in the Masonic Temple at 7:30 p.m. Mrs. Naomi Davis will be installed at worthy matron, and Walter Powell as worthy patron in this public ceremony.

MONDAY

Women's Division of the Chamber of Commerce will meet at 12 noon for regular meeting. Pizza Inn.

THURSDAY

Entre Nous Club will meet in the home of Mrs. T. H. Grady and Mrs. Marvin Ralph, co-hostess, at 7 p.m. Christmas party and exchange of gifts.

Ann Landers

Sensitive Patient Hits Doctor... Patient Feeling More Pain Now

Dear Ann Landers: Please tell me if I am normal or a candidate for the net. I'm beginning to wonder.

Yesterday I went to my doctor for a checkup. I'm not the type who runs to the doctor with every little ache and pain. But I had been feeling poorly for several days and decided to have myself looked at.

My doctor is a general practitioner — and has been wonderfully kind and considerate to our entire family through the years. He delivered my three children and saw my husband through some serious illnesses. We all worship him.

When the doctor examined me, he pressed a tender spot and I experienced an unexpected stabbing pain. Without thinking I gave his arm a hit. It was more of an automatic response than a display of anger. Although I didn't hit him very hard, he became furious with me. In a voice that could be heard all over the office, he shouted, "Don't ever do that again or you will have to get another doctor." Then he proceeded to bawl me out for ten minutes. The nurse who was in the room was as surprised as I.

When the doctor finished chewing me out, I began to cry and couldn't stop. I don't know what came over me. I just sat there like a fool and sobbed my head off.

Today I feel depressed and remorseful. I'm ashamed of myself.

Am I becoming mentally ill? Why did I lose my grip? What do you think about this episode? — Long- Time Fan.

Dear L.T.F.: I checked with four physicians and their verdict was unanimous. Your doctor overreacted. He may well have been overworked and tired. (Doctors are human, you know.) Your hitting his arm (which, of course, you should not have done) probably triggered the unfortunate response.

Crying as you did was not abnormal. You were undoubtedly not only hurt but deeply disappointed to discover that your idol had feet of clay.

Dear Ann Landers: My husband and I have two lovely children. We figured our family was complete and were well satisifed. When I learned I was pregnant again, I wasn't happy but I decided to make the best of it.

When I told my husband, he flew into a rage. I don't think I've ever seen him so mad. He called me an idiot and a dumbbell and ended up saying we would have to give the baby away. I was sure he'd cool off and change his mind, but four months have passed and he is still repeating his demands. He says he wouldn't "sell" the baby, but he would expect the people who adopt it to pay the hospital and doctor bills.

Last night I told him to quit screaming -- that my mind was made up I just couldn't carry a child for nine months and give it away as if it were a puppy. He said, "You will or I'm leaving." Please help me, Ann. I'm ashamed to sign my name. I'm sure you've never had a letter as strange as this one. -- Mother of Two and A Half.

Dear Mother: Your situation isn't nearly as strange as you think. Every few months I hear about a nut like your husband. Invariably these kooks change their minds, and I'm betting yours will, too.

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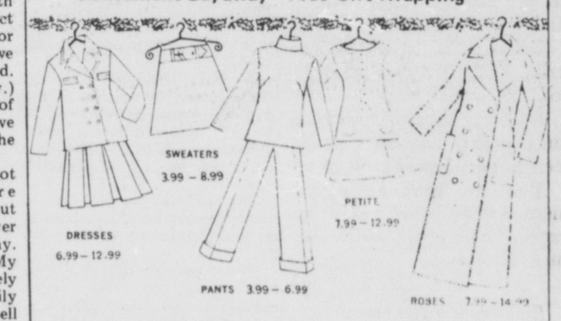
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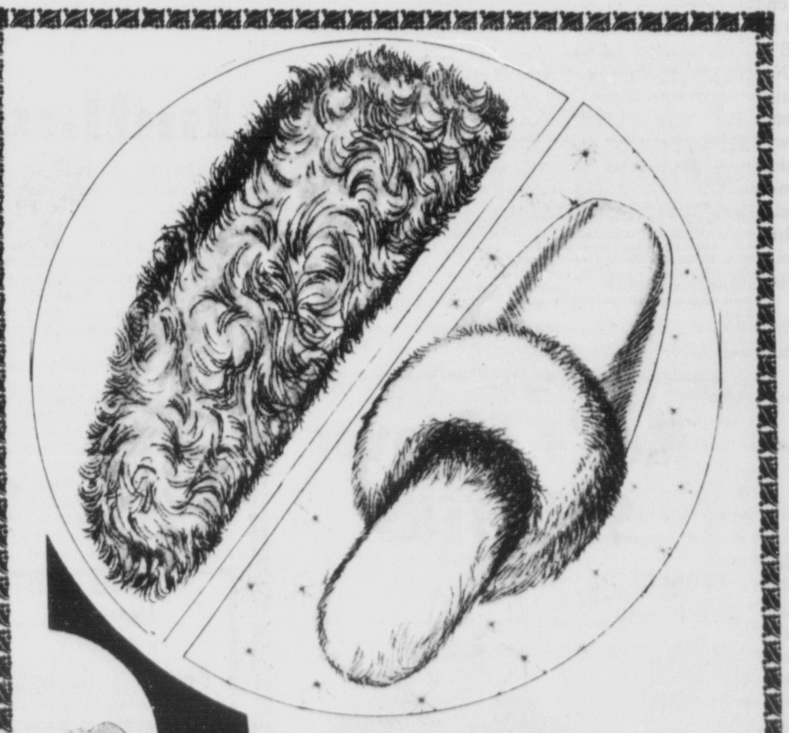


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Delta to Finals

ORAN -- East Prairie and Scott Central bounded into the losers bracket title match last night while Delta moved into the champion finals of the Oran Invitational basketball tournament.

Delta edged out the hosting Eagles 60-52, East Prairie slipped past Illmo-Scott City 65-61 in overtime and Scott Central dumped the College High junior varsity 74-21.

Robert Falkoff paced the East Prairie win with 22 points as his team took the win from the charity line where it netted 25 free throws. Ken Caveness led the Rams scoring.

It was a see-saw battle from the start with the Eagles coming back in the final quarter to tie the score at 59 all before moving in with the win and to the consolation title match.

Nine players got into the scoring column for coach Ken Wages Braves, four in double figures, as Scott Central shot into the losers bracket final. Keith Taylor, Gary Shackles and David Sindle scored 11 points each to lead the Braves. Larry Aufdenberg netted 14 for College high.

Delta fought from a 28-26 half time deficit with a 15-9 third quarter edge over the host for a 41-37 lead and increased that margin with its height advantage making the difference in a 19-15 four period.

Steve Bock led the Bobcats scoring with 17 points, but its was Oran's Don Evans with high game honors, scoring 33 in leading the Eagles upset bid.

Scoring:

EAST PRAIRIE (65)
Jefferies 16, Cooper 10, Falcoff 22, Marshall 7, Moss 6, Bain 4. TEAM TOTALS: FG-20; FT-25; PF-24.

ILLMO-SCOTT CITY (61)
Caveness 18, Miller, Amick 11, Carbol 6, Wilhelm 2, Spinks 9. TEAM TOTALS: FG-24; FT-13; PF-22.

SCOTT CENTRAL (74)
Taylor 11, Shackes 11, Sindle 11, Mortin 10, Freeman 9, Ken Taylor 8, Phillips 4, Mills 2, Alcorn 8. TEAM TOTALS: FG-26; FT-18; PF-12.

COLLEGE HIGH J.V. (21)
Aufdenberg 14, Morton 6, Damue 1. TEAM TOTALS: FG-5; FT-11; PF-16.

ORAN (52)
Evans 33, Emerson 8, Shaffer 5, Sensiboy 6. TEAM TOTALS: FG-24, FT-4; Pf-25.

DELTA (60)
Bock 17, Belew 11, Cox 14, Dunkin 7, Seebaugh 6, Needham 3, Lemmons 2. TEAM TOTALS: FG-18; FT-24; PF-8.

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Zalma Upset

WOODLAND -- In continuing first round action in the Ozark conference tournament Meadow Heights of Patton routed St. Vincents of Perryville 54-34 and upstart Greenville surprised Zalma 60-56.

Mark Mungle lead the Meadow Heights quintet to the smashing victory as he netted 25 against the Indians, while teammate Doug Bollinger connected for 12 of Patton's total.

Jim Moll was the only man in double figures for the Indians as he pumped in 14 in a losing effort.

The Greenville Bears had two men vying for the point leadership for the game as Richard Bridges and David Davis each tallied 14 to place the squad into tonight's semi- finals.

John McLeary took high point honors for the contest, as he managed to net 19 against the determined Bears. Galen McSpadden pumped in 13 to follow McLeary in the scoring column.

The semi- finals kicks off tonight at 7 p.m. as Woodland greets Meadow Heights. Oak Ridge battles Greenville in the 8:30 p.m. contest.

Scoring:

MEADOW HEIGHTS (54)
Mungle 25, Bollinger 12, D. Mungle 9, Davis 1, Welker 2, Turner 3, Mitchem 2. TEAM TOTALS: FG-16; FT-22; PF-20.

ST. VINCENTS (34)
Moll 14, Wengert 8, Hurst 2, Erlacker 3, Schnurbusch 3, Saur 2, Franklin 1, Bernard 1. TEAM TOTALS: FG-11; FT-12; PF-25.

Meadow H.	15	10	16	13 - 54
St. Vincents	8	5	9	12 - 34

GREENVILLE (60)
Davis 14, Libia 10, Opaluski 8, Hersney 2, Bridges 14, Schumaker 6, Schaffer 6, TEAM TOTALS: FG--21; FT-18; PF-16.

ZALMA (56)
Holt 10, McCleary 19, Moore 2, Simmers 10, McSpadden 13, Gowen 2, TEAM TOTALS: FG-21; FT-14; PF-25.

Greenville	16	13	12	19 - 60
Zalma	11	13	18	14 - 56



SOUTHEAST MISSOURI All- Staters were present at the 24th Annual Poplar Bluff letter Club Banquet Wednesday evening. Shown from left: Bill Gotto, Perryville; Terry Kitchen, Cape Central; Hosie Moss, Poplar Bluff; Bill Cunningham, Gideon; Steve Rogers and Charlie Vickery, Chaffee; and Don Clayton and Byron Loafman, Malden.

Rebels, Pirates In Title Match

DEXTER -- Last night's action in the Dexter Jr. High Invitational Tournament found Richland and Parma bringing home key victories which placed them in the finals Saturday night pitted against each other. Richland defeated host Dexter 34-20, and favored Parma romped Bloomfield 48-28.

In the first quarter, Richland rolled to a 10-2 first frame score and from then on Dexter had to play catch-up basketball. They never did make it as cold shooting by the Jr. Bearcats contributed to the 14 point difference at the final buzzer.

The scoring honors for Richland went to the two Cain brothers who combined for 18 of their teams to total. For Dexter, Backfish hit 10 points to pace his squad, and Burnett followed with nine.

It was the Pirates sailing to an easy victory in the late game as they easily won over the Jr. Wildcats 48-28. Parma had a slow start as they hit only 3 points to Bloomfields 7 in the first quarter. From then on, Parma took control and finally built up a 20 point lead late in the battle.

Scoring for the Pirates was divided among 3 players scoring in double figures, Gaines hit 13, Barnes 11, and Perkins 10. Bloomfields scoring came from the hands of Nelson who hit 22 of his teams 28 points.

BLOOMFIELD (28)
R. Underwood 2, Morton 2, G. Underwood 2, Nelson 22. TEAM TOTALS: FG-8; FT-12; PF-15.

PARMA (48)
Ramsey 6, Mooncrief 1, R. Perkins 10, Kirk 2, Crews 5, Barnes 11, Gaines 13. TEAM TOTALS: FG-19; FT-10; PF-18.

SCORE BY QUARTERS:

Parma	3	14	20	11-48
Bloomfield	7	8	6	7-28

RICHLAND (34)
K. Cain 8, Hester 7, Mouser 3, C. Cain 10, Noyes 6. TEAM TOTALS: FG-15; FT-4; PF-4.

DEXTER (20)
Miller 0, Rigsby 1, Burnett 9, Denoon 0, Backfish 10. TEAM TOTALS: FG-8; FT-4; PF-12.

SCORE BY QUARTERS:

Richland	10	7	9	8-34
Dexter	2	10	4	4-20

Semi Finals at Steele

STEELE -- First round action resumed last night in the South Pemiscot Invitational Tourney, as Hayti slid past Holcomb 56-54, and Southland won the nightcap by outscoring Caruthersville 76-44.

Tonight semi- final action will find South Pemiscot meeting Cooter in the 6:30 p.m. game, and Hayti going against Southland at 8 p.m.

In the early game of the tourney, neither Holcomb nor Hayti held a decisive edge over the other team as the teams held half- time strategy. Hayti came out on the court in the 3rd quarter hot, and quickly built up a strong lead of 11 points, as they out- scored the Hornets 21-6 in the third quarter. Fighting back, the Holcomb Hornets almost scored a comeback, as they closed the gap to 2 points in the fourth quarter, but Hayti finished with 1 more bucket to take the victory 56-54.

The Indians placed two players in the double figures bracket, as Buddy Moore hit 14, and Larry Weatherspoon collected 13, to gain scoring honors.

Holcomb's scoring was led by 3 players who scored in double figures, Steve Lomax hit 17, Kenny Miller 16, and Tommy Collier collected 10 in the tough defeat to Holcomb.

The later game found Southland impressively defeating Caruthersville by a score of 76-44. Caruthersville, winless in 3 attempts, remained cold all night as the Southland Rebels hit consistently from all over the court and held an advantage in field goals and free throws. Southland improved its record to 4 wins to 1 loss, to gain a chance to face Hayti in semi-final action tonight.

For the Rebels, Ronnie Hambrick scored an impressive 23 points to pace the victory, and Ronnie Cude followed with 19, and Lambert added 11.

The scoring for Caruthersville Tigers was led by Beard who hit 14 points to lead his team and followed by teammate Malone collecting for 8.

Scoring:

SOUTHLAND (76)
Hambrick 23, Cude 19, Lambert, 11, Smith 9, Huggins 6, Beasley 6, Waits 1, Hutchens 1. TEAM TOTALS: FG-29; FT-18; PF-20.

CARUTHERSVILLE (44)
Baird 14, Malone 8, Randolph 6, Wilburn 5, Hubbard 4, Simmons 3, Sides 2, Stanley 2. TEAM TOTALS: FG-14; FT-16; PF-17.

Southland	17	16	15	28 - 76
Caruthersville	9	12	11	16 - 44

HAYTI (56)
Moore 14, Weatherspoon 13, Robinson 8, White 8, Smith 6, Grissom, 3, Belevins 2, Rodger 2. TEAM TOTALS: FG-24; FT-23; PF-14.

HOLCOMB (54)
Lomax 17, Miller 16, Collier 10, Casper 7, Allen Abbott, 4. TEAM TOTALS: FG-22; FT-10; PF-22.

Hayti	12	10	21	13 - 56
Holcomb	18	11	6	19 - 54

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LAST NIGHT'S RESULTS
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SATURDAY NIGHT
Dexter Jr. High Finals
Farmington Finals
Richland Finals
Ozark Finals
Salem at Poplar Bluff
Houston at Dexter

Upsets Set Finals

FARMINGTON -- Two Major upsets were recorded last night in the Farmington Invitational Tournament as number one seeded Farmington and number two seeded Cape Central were knocked off. The previously undefeated Farmington Knights were shot down by Fredericktown 69-56. Flat River Central, ranked third in the week long tournament, raised their season's record to 2-1 as they defeated Cape Central 72-55.

The opening game saw Flat River go to their full- court press, which proved so effective in their opening victory over Leadwood. The Tigers just couldn't manage to hold on to the ball against the quicker Rebels, giving away the ball numerous throughout the game.

The Cape Bengals closed within three at the end of the third quarter, but then the Rebels blew the game wide open with 25 in the fourth to Cape's 11.

Terry Wisdom took the high point honors as he pumped in 27 to lead the Rebels to victory. Fred Labruyer also had a good night for the Rebels as he hit 16.

Ron Wulfers paced the Bengals with 16 against the man to man press, with David Scherer close behind with 11.

The night's second game saw the Farmington Knights topple behind the red hot shooting and constant hustle of the Fredericktown Blackcats. Two hot outside shooting guards, Steve McKinnis and Rodney Denman, accounted for fifty points of the Blackcats total of sixty- nine. McKinnis netted 24 and Denman 26 against the man to man defense imposed by the Knights of Farmington.

Eddie Dickey pumped in 19 to take the point leadership of the contest for the Knights. Six-seven Russell Weiss followed him with 13.

The final night of the tournament kicks off Saturday night at 7 p.m. as last night's victims, Farmington and Cape Central, meet in the consolation bracket and Fredericktown and Flat River Central do battle for the first place trophy at 8:30 p.m.

Scoring:

FLAT RIVER CENTRAL (72)
Wisdom 27, McMullin 10, Myers 8, Labruyer 16, Mills 2, Scott 5, Campbell 2, Ducas 2. TEAM TOTALS: FG-22; FT-28; PF-17.

CAPE CENTRAL (55)
Human 2, Jones 6, Gradner 4, Scherer 11, Wulfers 16, Gregg 10, Propst 6. TEAM TOTALS: FG-22; FT-11; PF-26.

Fat River	16	24	7	25 - 72
Cape C.	21	13	10	11 - 55

FARMINGTON (56)
Vessel 7, Dickey 19, Johnson 6, Weiss 13, Hughes 9, Baster 2, TEAM TOTALS: FG-20; FT-16; PF-15.

FREDERICKTOWN (69)
McKinnis 24, D. Stevens 4, Cameran 5, Francis 7, Denman 26, J. Stevens 3. TEAM TOTALS: FG-26; FT-17; PF-15.

Fred.	16	12	18	23 - 69
Farm.	11	15	16	14 - 56

Indians Battle At Bernie

BERNIE -- The top two seeded quintets, Puxico and New Madrid, battle for the championship of the 10th Annual Bernie Invitational basketball tournament tonight at 8:30 p.m. after moving into the bout with semi- final triumphs last night. Puxico fired past Lilbourn 74-53 and New Madrid beat Bernie 45-36.

Tonight's consolation battle will pit un- seeded units Lilbourn and Bernie against each other at 7 p.m. Both moved into the semi- finals after Tuesday upsets of Parma and Matthews.

The championship battle shapes up as a individual battle of giants, Puxico's Ken Andrews (6-7) and New Madrids James Tucker (6-5) and a battle of the district's top rated quintet (New Madrid) against the ninth ranked (Puxico) Indians.

Andrews paced coach Gene Wilfong's tribe into the title match with 16 big first half points that pushed the Indians into a 37-19 halftime lead. The big Indian center ended the match with 24.

Lilbourn's only impressive quarter of the night was the fourth in which it netted 29 points while the Indians dropped in 18. The Panthers biggest led down was in the second and third quarters when it netted seven and five points respectively.

Jerome Wilderness and Tom Wells led the Panther scoring with 13 and 12 points respectively.

New Madrid cashed in 13 of 14 free throw attempts in the final quarter to move into the championship of the Bernie tournament by beating the host 45-36.

Bernie failed to cash in on its charity shots, netting only eight of 22 during the evening as both teams played tight defense.

Coach Ed Street's Mules got to within three of the Indians during the final three minutes of the game but New Madrid charity shots increased the margin. It was the second time the Indians had beaten the Mules this season, the last was after Bernie had upset Matthews... a coincidence that it happened that way again.

Tucker paced New Madrid scoring with 14 points and Dennis Wilson led Bernie with 11.

Scoring:

PUXICO (74)
Andrews 24, Taylor 5, Morris 15, Turner 4, Anthony 4, Shelton 14, Walk 6, Henderson 2. TEAM TOTALS: FG-30; FT-14; PF-18.

LILBOURN (53)
Wilderness 13, Prince 3, Wells 12, McFarron 4, Maynard 7, Wilson 2, Blair 2, Willis 4. TEAM TOTALS: FG-19; FT-15; PF-14.

Puxico	15	22	19	18 - 74
Lilbourn	12	7	5	29 - 53

NEW MADRID (45)
Ross 11, Tucker 14, Walker 8, Malone 2, Baker 8, Mann 2. TEAM TOTALS: FG-15; FT-15; PF-19.

BERNIE (36)
Botch 9, Wilson 11, Brown 6, Beckman 9, Williams 2, TEAM TOTALS: FG-14, FT-8, PF-14.

New Madrid	13	9	6	17 - 45
Bernie	6	7	8	15 - 36

Richland Title Game Saturday

ESSEX -- Saturday's championship game of the Richland High school invitational basketball tournament will pit youth against experience as Richland's young Rebels face the experienced Advance Hornets at 8:30 p.m.

Advance's precision fast break and five-man double figure scoring attack lifted the Hornets into Saturday's title bout as it crushed Bell City 79-40 last night.

Coach Ray Fisher's Richland Rebels used a big defensive effort to trim Neelyville 67-60 for its berth in the finals.

Tony Jenkins paced the Hornets five-man double figure scoring barrage with 21 as his team roared to a 41-20 halftime lead after pulling up 20-11 in the first quarter and never were threatened.

Bell City's Doug Troph scored 17 points for the Cubs high figure.

Richland fought from a 13-11 first quarter deficit behind the out-court shooting of Norman Cole, who ended the game with 24 points, and the rebounding of John Sims and Lawrence Cole. The Rebels took the win with a 24-18 final period edge as the three Sophomores led the charge.

High scoring Larry Wills fouled out of the game for Neelyville with four minutes left and 24 points to his credit. From that point the Rebs moved into the finals.

Scoring:

NEELYVILLE (60)
Wills 24, McKinley 13, Young 8, Hardin 4, Jenkins 11, Warren 3. TEAM TOTALS: FG-26; FT-8; PF-21.

RICHLAND (67)
Gaylord 5, Lawrence Cole 15, Norman Cole 24, Peters 9, Simms 14. TEAM TOTALS: FG 25; FT-17; PF-10.

SCORE BY QUARTERS:

Richland	11	20	12	24-67
Neelyville	13	12	17	18-60

ADVANCE (70)
Tony Jenkins 21, Berrong 10, Ridings 5, Long 10, Georger 10, Daniels 15, Abernathy 4, Redman 4. TEAM TOTALS: FG-34; FT-11; PF-19.

BELL CITY (40)
J. Johnson 12, Bird 2, M. Johnson 7, Troph 17, Watson 2. TEAM TOTALS: FG-10; FT-20; PF-15.

SCORE BY QUARTERS:

Advance	2-	21	18	20-79
Bell City	11	9	6	14-40

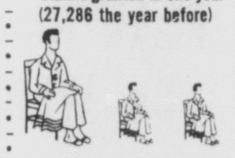
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Sikeston's freshman basketball season got underway at the field house last night with Poplar Bluff racing to a 53-27 victory over the Bulldogs.

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Volkmer Says Tax Revisions to Mean Reductions for Many

KANSAS CITY (AP) — Rep. Harold L. Volkmer, D-Hannibal told a group of lawyers today the Missouri income tax revisions scheduled to become effective Jan. 1 will lower the tax of 350,000 persons in lower income tax brackets.

Volkmer was a sponsor of the bill in the Missouri Legislature and he said that more than one-third of the $106 million revenue to be generated in the next 18 months would come from corporations rather than from individuals. The corporate tax increase is from 2 per cent to 5 per cent.

The speaker called attention to revisions that would increase deductions allowed for medical expenses and for church and charitable contributions. And, he said, under the revision some small businessmen will benefit because they can elect to be taxed as individuals rather than as corporations.

Geophagy is the practice of eating earthy substances, especially clay.



Santa and the DUMBBELL

By Lucrece Beale



Synopsis: On their way to Santa Land Booby Bobby and the Ghost stop to see a puppet show. The Puppet Princess is in terrible danger. Booby Bobby wants to save her.

CHAPTER FIVE
THE CHASE

STANLEY the Ghost agreed that the Puppet Princess must be rescued from the wicked ogre who planned to wed her.

"Now is our chance," he whispered. "Before the curtain goes up for the last act."

They crept to the little stage and peered behind the curtain. The man who ran the show had gone off for a smoke. The audience, too, had turned away for the intermission. The Princess lay on the stage in a crumpled heap of strings and sticks. The ogre also lay in a heap and did not seem so dangerous anymore.

"Princess! Come with us," said Booby Bobby. "We will save you from the ogre."

The Princess opened sad dark eyes and gazed at Booby Bobby in wonder. He was the first person who had ever spoken to her as if she were real and not just a marionette on a string.

"I cannot move unless the puppeteer pulls my strings," she murmured unhappily.

"I will break the strings," said Booby Bobby. "Then you can move by yourself."

"Do you really think so? Oh, how lovely that would be!"

Booby Bobby snapped the strings tied to the puppet's feet and hands and head.

"How good it feels," breathed the Princess as Booby Bobby helped her from the stage. "I've never before moved of my own free will!"

"You must move very fast," said the Ghost. He rushed out of the square with Booby Bobby and the Princess at his heels.

The puppeteer came from around the corner where he had been having his smoke. He stared in puzzlement when he saw the Puppet Princess was missing. Then he saw the Ghost and Booby Bobby running away.

"Thief! Thief!" he shouted. "Stop them! They've stolen my puppet!" He began to give chase and all the men and women and children in the square gave chase behind him.

Panting and wheezing, the Ghost led the way out of the village, across the fields and through the forest.

"I-I can't run anymore," gasped the Princess at last. "It is harder than I thought."

Booby Bobby knelt down and ordered her to climb on his back. Then with the Princess riding piggyback, he staggered after Stanley.

They came to a wide river. Stanley said, "I've heard that there is a ferry boat here run by an elf who will take us straight to Santa Land." They looked everywhere but the only boat in sight was a beat-up raft tied to a tree. A sign on the raft said, "The ferryman has retired. This ferry doesn't run anymore."



There was only a beat-up raft.

The Ghost and Booby Bobby and the Princess looked at each other in dismay. They heard a hallooing and thrashing in the woods behind. The puppeteer came nearer and nearer screaming, "We have them cornered! They'll never get away!"

"Oh, dear," moaned the Princess. "All my life that man has made me do things I didn't want to do. Now he'll put me back on strings and I'll be just a marionette again."

"He hasn't caught us yet," said the Ghost.

He pushed Booby Bobby and the Princess on to the rickety raft, untied the rope and leaped aboard. The craft lurched away from the bank just as the puppeteer reached the shore screeching, "Here they are! We have them!"

But he was too late. The raft was spinning down the river and was already nearly out of sight.

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Hi Santa,
I am a 5 year old. I have been a good boy this year. My name is Greg. I would like to have a Hot Wheels, a guitar and anything else you would like for me. Don't forget my cousin Scott Riley he would like a guitar, too.
Hope to see you soon. I think you're swell Santa.
Bye,
Greg Crawford
East Prairie, Mo.

Dear Santa Claus,
I am a little girl 7 years old. Would like for you to bring me a watch, some clothes and Candy. Also a snow sled, and don't forget my cousin, also my Grandpa Nichols of Crowder, Mo.
I have a sister who would like some nice things too.
Marlene Wise
4422 State St. No. 23
Bettendorf, Iowa

Dear Santa Claus,
I am a girl 11 years old.
Would like for you to bring me a tape recorder, some clothes and candy.
Also a snow sled and don't forget my Grandpa Nichols of Crowder, Mo. also my cousins.
I have a sister who would like some nice things too.
Charlotte Wise
4422 State St. No. 23
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Dear Santa,
My name is Larry Childers, I am 6 years old and for Christmas I want a Big Wheels, some guns, a Hot Wheels track, and some little cars. My brother John wants a play tool chest, and a chalkboard and peg table, and a Tonka mobil
Larry & John Childers
211 Edwards St.
Sikeston, Mo. 63801

Dear Santa,
My name is Debra Dorris. I am ten years old. For Christmas I would like a talking Barbie, roller skates, Pepsi Cola Dispenser, assorted handbag, horn, record player, watch, and a bike. I have been a pretty good girl this year. Please don't forget about children all over the world, especially Mom and Dad.
Deborah Dorris
179 Presnell Drive
Sikeston, Mo. 63801

Dear Santa,
My name is Kim Dorris. I am seven years old. For Christmas I would like a horn, a Drinkee Baby, Baby Throw A Kiss, and a snappy dog. I will leave some cookies and milk on the table.
Kim Dorris
179 Presnell Dr.
63801

Dear Santa,
My name is Donna Jean Lennon. I am 10 years old, and for Christmas I would like for you to bring me a View Master, a record, Sugar Sugar by the Archies and some story books. Don't forget my playmates, Pamela Maxwell, Nancy Sweet Sheila Sweet, Cheryl Hardgrave, they will be waiting for you. I go to school and I sure have a nice Teacher her name is Mary Jane Lathum please bring her something real nice.
I'll go to bed early and I won't peep.
Donna Jean Lennon
New Madrid, Mo.
Route 1.

Dear Santa,
My name is Ricky Landers. I am 3 years old. I have been a good boy this year. My babysitter is writing this for me, since I'm too young to write it myself. Santa, for Christmas, I wish you would bring me a tractor, a car, and whatever else you would like for me to have. Please bring me some candy, apples, and nuts. Please also bring me a stick horse. Don't forget all the other boys and girls all over the world. Don't forget my Mommy and Daddy and also my Babysitter and her Mother. There will be cookies and a Coke for you under my tree.
Merry Christmas Santa,
Ricky Landers
Canalou, Mo.
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Dear Santa,
My name is Johnny Standridge. I am 4 years old and have been a pretty good boy. I would like for you to bring me a combine, with a corn header. That's what I really would like to have. I need a trailer to go behind my tractor to catch my beans in. I have a little sister Sandra Lynn, she is 1 year old. Please bring her a telephone that talks and we both would like a Jack-in- the- box. That's all we would like but if you care to bring anything else, Thank You. We will see you all Christmas morning. Please don't forget my cousins all of them. Oh! Yes, a dirt scoop.
Love,
Johnny &
Sandra Standridge
Bloomfield, Mo. 63825

The world's first automobile club was formed in Paris in 1895, according to the Encyclopaedia Britannica.

Dear Santa

Dear Santa,
My name is Cari Carr. I am 8½ years old. For Christmas I would like a Angel Baby and a Suzie Sunshine. I would also like some Peanuts Books. And I would like an electric organ.
With Love,
Cari Carr
Sikeston, Mo.
P.S. Don't forget my cats and my teacher.

Dear Santa,
My name is Duane I am 8. For Christmas I want a snow cone maker and a drum set.
P.S. And a tape recorder and my Mother and Father, and my nephew, James.
P.S. I will have milk and cake for you.
Love Santa,
Duane Holifield
Sikeston, Mo.

Dear Santa,
My name is Kay Bisher, I am 9 years. For Christmas I would like to have a record player and some fast records, and a dancing Ballerina Doll, A Talking Julea and a Barbie case.
P.S. and please don't forget my little nephew Jamie he is 9 months old. And don't forget my Mother and Father, I will leave you some cake and milk.
Love Santa,
Kay Bisher
Sikeston, Mo.

Dear Santa,
My name is Randy Shell. I live at 410 Short Street. I go to Lee Hunter School. I am in the third grade, my teacher is Mrs. Cook.
Please bring me some heavy Tonka Trucks, a BB gun, Walkie Talkie, and Monopoly game.
Don't forget to bring all my friends and cousin Rodney some nice toys also.
I will leave you some milk and cookies.
Love and God Bless You,
Randy Shell

Dear Santa,
My name is Kim Shell. I live at 410 Short Street. I am in the first grade at Lee Hunter School, my teacher is Mrs. Bennett.
I would like a Swingy Doll, Suzy Homemaker, Dollhouse and a Limbo game.
Santa, please remember to bring all my friends and little nephew, Chris, lots of nice toys. Santa, I will leave you some milk and cookies on the table.
Love & God Bless You,
Kim Shell

Dear Santa,
My name is Chris Taylor, I am ten months old, so my Mom is writing for me. I live at 405 Short St. Sikeston, Mo. I would like a Rocking horse, cowboy boots, a teddy bear and anything else you want to bring me. I have been a good boy. Please remember my grandma's and grandpa's and Aunt Kim and Uncles Dennis and Randy and all the other little boys and girls. There will be cookies and milk for you.
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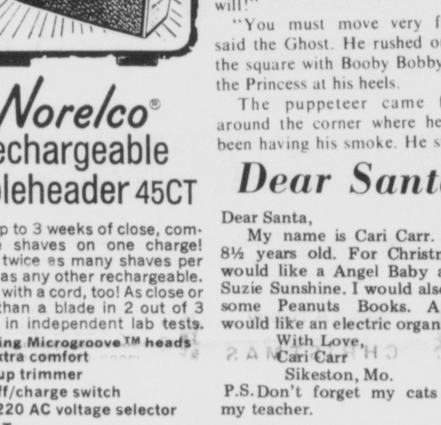
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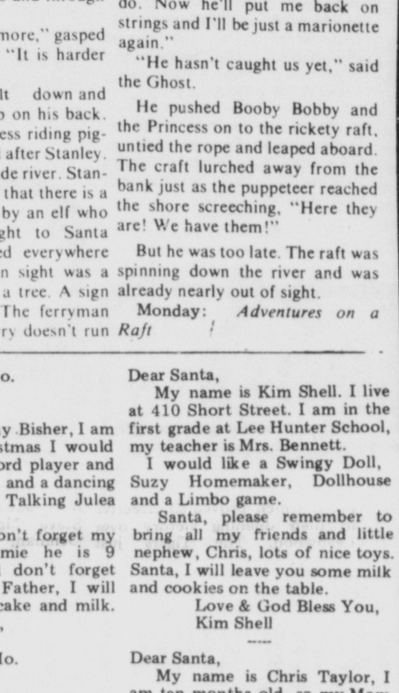
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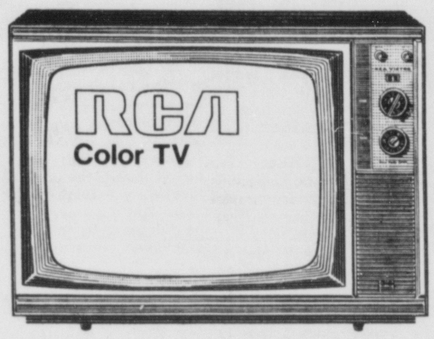
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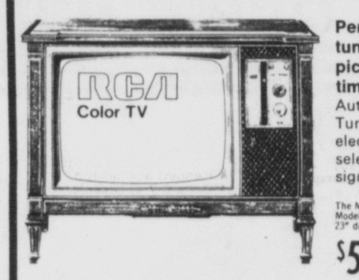
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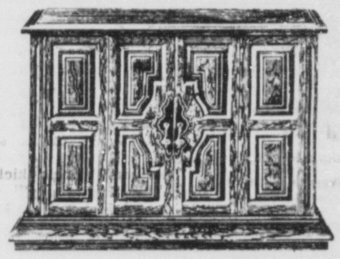
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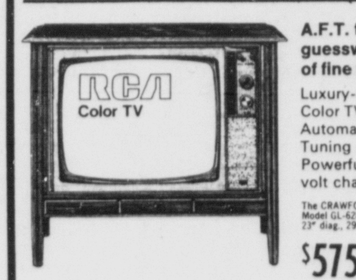
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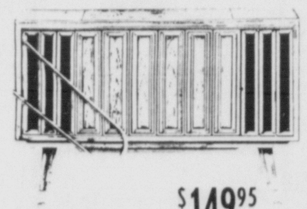
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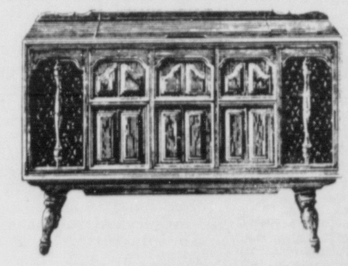
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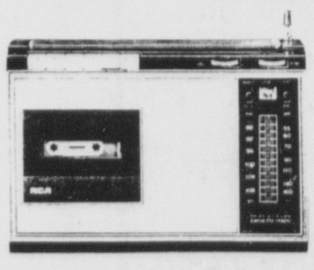
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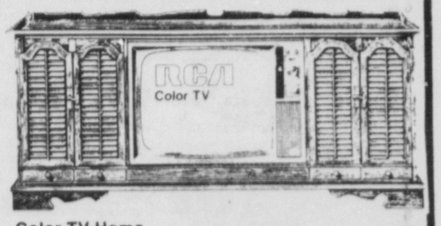
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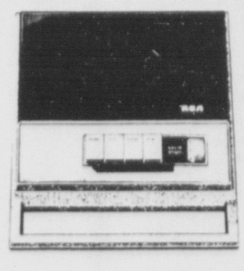
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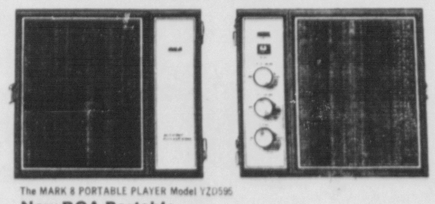
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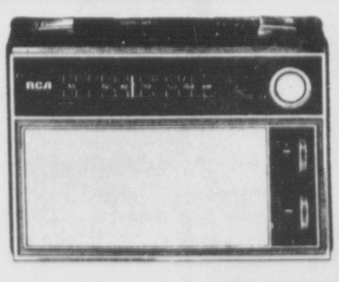
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Tight Money Bringing Out Sharks

Money is so scarce now that some businesses are literally having to submit to demands on profits or property in order to get loans.

Take the recent case of Bermec Corp., a company listed on the New York Stock Exchange.

In order to borrow $3 million from an insurance company to save the Black Watch Farms, Inc., division of Bermec from bankruptcy, Bermec's chairman Herman L. Meckler had to sell a half interest in Black Watch Farms to the insurance company for $1, and pay 10 per cent as well on the $3 million loan.

Telling of the conditions that prevail in today's money market, Meckler said, "We had a choice of borrowing money under these terms or, seeing imminent bankruptcy for Black Watch."

"If they had insisted they wanted all of Black Watch for the $3 million loan, I would have given it to them - with the consent of the board of directors," he added.

This is what the tight money policy is sometimes leading to. Bermec's case is not an isolated example.

Meckler said this "humiliating experience" resulted from a combination of high interest rates and the scarcity of money which hurt Bermec's truck- leasing business as well as Black Watch's ability to get working capital. Black Watch's sales were hurt by uncertainty about the proposed tax- reform legislation that could affect the current favorable treatment of owners of breeding cattle.

In the past year, according to The Wall Street Journal, the practice of forcing borrowers to grant lenders a share of profits (but not losses) a percentage of rents and clauses that can raise interest rates has become widespread.

Thus we see that the "stabilization" the government seeks to bring about, by allowing excessive interest rates and tight money, actually is pushing some businesses to the wall. - St. Louis Globe Democrat.



OFFICERS OF THE BLUE BLAZERS at Charleston high school, from left, are President Mary Gordon; Vice-President Carolyn Lane; Secretary Helen Worthy; Treasurer Teresa Blanchard and Reporter Dorothy Harris.

Top Defense Cut Since Korean War End Pushed

WASHINGTON (AP) — A $69.96 billion defense appropriation that makes the biggest cut in military money since the end of the Korea war was approved Wednesday by the House Appropriations Committee.

The bill knocks $5.32 billion off President Nixon's original $75.28 billion request, to bring military spending in line with cuts announced by Secretary of Defense Melvin R. Laird.

The bill contains all $779.4 million asked to begin deploying the controversial Safeguard antimissile systen but makes wholesale cuts—$3.82 billion worth—in other weapons programs.

It urges abandonment of the costly and ultrasophisticated Main Battle Tank 70 program as a joint U.S.-West German venture and says a U.S. tank should be designed that would cost one third the nearly $1 million-per-tank now estimated for the MBT 70.

It cuts $2 million for biological weapons in direct response to Nixon's announcement the United States will no longer stockpile them, and makes other unspecified gas warfare cuts of $10.5 million.

The House is expected to pass the bill early next week and send it to the Senate.

The $5.32 billion slice, the committee said in a report, is the largest since 1954 when the committee trimmed $6.3 billion in the wake of the cease-fire in Korea.

Further U.S. troop withdrawals from Vietnam could lead to new cuts this year, the committee said, but it has deleted no funds on that basis.

"The enemy could again escalate the intensity of combat," it said, "and the committee does not want American forces to be placed in jeopardy by shortages of needed supplies and equipment if this should occur."

The committee, headed by Rep. George H. Mahon, D-Tex., attributes $483.5 million of the cut directly to reductions in Vietnam war costs—$302.3 million in reduced Air Force munitions and equipment and $181.2 million in troop withdrawals— but sets out no over-all money figure for waging the conflict.

Laird told the committee two weeks ago the war's cost had dropped to $23.2 billion this year compared to $28.8 billion last.

The committee denies production funds for the Navy's F14 jetfighter and the Air Force's Short Range Attack Missile, saying they need more research and development before going on the line.

It approved an unrequested $152 million for three, not two, nuclear attack submarines—the only funds approved from the $1 billion the House tacked on to an authorization bill for Navy ship modernization.

The bill also calls for a $7.7 million slice off the military's Pentagon and headquarters staffs which the committee called "top heavy" and a $2.4 million reduction in military public relations personnel.

The $69.96 billion money bill is $4.4 billion below the $74.4 billion Congress approved for the military last year.

The bill contains all defense money for the fiscal year starting last July 1 except construction at militar bases, U.S. military assistance to countries not involved in the Vietnam war and minor items contained in other money bills.

New Mideast Plan Sent Out by U.S.

WASHINGTON (AP) — The Nixon administration will make a major effort to get Israel to follow a new U.S. peace plan for the Middle East, but only if the Soviet Union accepts the proposal first, according to high ranking officials.

But, the sources say, chances of a Soviet okay are slim. In any event some officials believe no definite answer to the American proposals will come before the December 20 summit conference of Arab heads of state.

In an extensive review on the eve of the resumption in New York of Big Four consultations on the Middle East, the officials summed up the new U.S. proposal, handed to Soviet ambassador Anatoly F. Dobrynin Oct. 28, as follows:

—Israel should withdraw behind its pre-1967 borders with Egypt in exchange for Cairo's "binding committment" to establish peace with Tel Aviv— and to keep it.

—Both sides also would commit themselves to start talks with each other on the basis of the so-called Rhodes formula on "practical security arrangements" regarding the Gaza Strip and Sharm El Sheikh, the strong point guarding the entrance to the Strait of Tiran and the Gulf of Aqaba.

The Rhodes formula, applied in the 1949 Arab-Israeli armistice talks on the Greek island of Rhodes, means that representatives of the two beligerents would be under one roof but would talk to each other indirectly through a mediator.

Persuading Israel to adhere to the plan will be a difficult task, officials acknowledge, but there is no point in trying before the Russians accept it, which would also mean Egypt's acceptance.

Despite the negative and often bellicose noises from Cairo and the month-long silence in Moscow the United States does not consider its plan rejected.

The Soviets are usually quick in saying a terse "nyet" if something does not please them. The month long delay might mean Moscow is still bargaining with Cairo on how to answer the U.S. proposal, informants believe. Accordingly there is no pressing concern here over the delay.

It will be surprising, though, if President Gambel Abdul Nasser would give up his current rigid attitude before the Arab nations that have subsidized his country since the 1967 war and he probably believes only by displaying a firm stance can he hope for increased funds. "But he did not close the door" to the U.S. plan, informants stressed.

$262,815 Paid Out For Welfare

NEW MADRID - County recipients of assistance from funds disbursed by the New Madrid county welfare office for November were paid $262,815.19. The greatest part of that amount going to those on the old age assistance list of the welfare agency.

John M. Underwood, Sr., director, reported there were 1525 on the old age assistance rolls and they received $112,272.00. The average checks was $73.62.

A total of 638 families with 1,853 children received $72,274 in the aid to dependent children category and received an average of $113.28 per family check.

Two hundred and forty-two persons received Permanent and total disability assistance totalling $17,542 and the average check was $72.49.

The county had 81 persons on the aid for the blind list and each received $90 per month for $7,290.00.

From general relief funds 261 families of 275 persons received $17,989.00 or an average check of $65.41.

$35,045.63 was expended under the Vendor Programs for all categories of assistance. These were the hospital, and nursing home vendor Programs.

There were 69 children under child welfare supervision.

Services were given to 69 children and service was completed to 25 children, leaving a caseload of 44 at the end of the month. Of these children now being given services, 30 are in the homes of their parents or residing with relatives, eight are in foster boarding homes, four are in adoptive homes, and 2 are in non-relative homes.

Amount spent for room and board, clothing, medicine, dental care, and incidentals for the children under child welfare supervision from the county court was $201.28. Amount expended from state boarding funds was $201.28.

Hoxworth Director of Health Center

PORTAGEVILLE — David Hoxworth, son of Mr. and Mrs. L. D. Hoxworth, and son in law of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Rendleman, Cobden, Ill., was appointed executive director of the new Jefferson County Mental Health Center, Mt. Vernon Ill.

Hoxworth graduated from Warden high school. He received his Bachelor of Arts from Southern Illinois University, Carbondale, and his masters of social work from Washington University, St. Louis, Mo.

Hoxworth's previous experience includes experience in a child guidance clinic. St. Louis, Wyoming State Hospital, Evanston, and the Comprehensive Mental Health Center, Quincy, Ill, where he was coordinator of a new suicide prevention center. Hoxworth has had professional publications which include articles on group therapy and suicide prevention, and recently had a "Casebook" presentation in the December 1969 issue of Psychology Today.

Hoxworth, his wife Alice, and two children, Michael Age 2, and Brian, age 3 months will make their new home at 2905 Jamison Blvd., Mt. Vernon, Ill.

Settings- Circ. Court

BENTON: These cases will be heard here during the coming week:

Monday, Dec. 8, 1969: Fern Bollinger vs. C. L. Medlin, DAMAGES; Margaret L. Grissom vs. R. G. Long, et al, PERSONAL INJURIES; Avis Lane vs. Dolph Webb, Jr., PUNITIVE DAMAGES.

Thursday, Dec. 11, 1969: F. D. Bickings vs. Faye M. Bickings, DIVORCE. Wanda Jean Copeland vs. Richardson Copeland, DIVORCE.

GO TO CHURCH SUNDAY

Missourian Auctions 35th ILSE Champion

CHICAGO (AP) — When Roy G. Johnston stepped before a microphone Tuesday night to start the auctioning of the grand champion steer at the International Live Stock Exposition the action marked his 35th and final year of selling the champion.

The grand champion steer brought its young owner a $15,000 start on financing his way through college. Brad Lindskog,11, of Prophetstown, Ill., thought the $12 a pound for his 1,265 - pound Charolais - Angus crossbred was "pretty good." The animal was purchased by the Chicago Mercantile Exchange.

Johnston, 71, of Raymore, Mo., a familiar figure at the nation's major livestock shows, has been selling the grand champion steer at the big Chicago farm show since 1934.

He said he plans to retire as an auctioneer on his 72nd birthday, June 29, 1970, but will continue active as a cattleman.

Johnston and his wife, Jeane, live on a 1,200-acre farm near Raymore, where they have a herd of 100 registered Angus cows and market about 1,200 steers a year.

Johnston, who has been auctioning livestock for more than 50 years, said he got into the business as a youngster while working on a Missouri farm. The farmer was a part-time auctioneer, Johnston said, and he learned the art of selling livestock from him.

Johnston, whose trademark is a flashy diamond tiepin, estimated he has been the auctioneer at "several thousand" livestock shows during his long career.

In addition to the International, he has sold champion farm stock at major shows in Kansas City, Denver, Omaha, Dallas, Fort Worth, Oklahoma City, Tulsa and elsewhere.

Johnston was the auctioneer in the 1930s at the American Royal Livestock Show when the champion steer of the show brought $35.50 a pound, he world record.

He also was the auctioneer at the International in 1957 when the grand champion steer was sold for $30 a pound, second highest price ever paid for a steer anywhere. That steer, a Hereford, brought a total of $30,050.

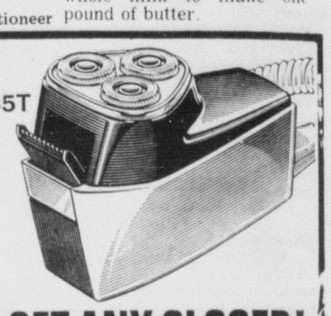
Referring to his years of selling the International's grand champion, Johnston said: "I think this sale has been the highlight of my career. This is the granddaddy of all the finished product shows."

Johnston himself won eight blue ribbons in successive years of competition in the late 40s and early 5s .n carlot cattle at the Chicago show. In 1961, he showed the champion carlot of Angus cattle at the American Royal.

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I will leave some candy, to eat Christmas Eve.
Wayne Hahn
P.S. I love you, Santa.

Dear Santa,
My name is Phyllis. I am 9 years old. I live at Morehouse, Mo. I have been a good girl this year. Here is a list of what I want. A operation game, View Master, Doll House, Baby Doll.
Your Friend
Phyllis Parks
P.S. Don't forget all the other little children.

Dear Santa,
My name is Phillip. I live in Morehouse, Mo. Here is a list of the things I want: Might Mike, Camera, watch and ring, gun.
Yours truly,
Phillip Parks

Dear Santa,
My name is Scottie. I am 6 years old. I live in Morehouse, Mo. I have been very good this year. Here is a list of what I want:
Hot Wheels, B.B. Gun, Transport truck, and a dragline.
Yours Truly,
Scottie Parks
P.S. Don't forget Mommy and Daddy. There will be milk and cookies.

Dear Santa
I am a little boy 7 years old. I'm in the first grade. I want a record player and records, drum, a guitar and race set. Also nuts, candy and fruit. Your friend, Wayne Rudisill Matthews, Mo.

Dear Santa
My name is Margaret Beth. I live at Morley. Please bring me a Buffy doll & Hot Wheels car. Dishes and rollar siates and doll house. Remember my sister Lisa and my brother Russell.
Love,
Margaret Gregory
Morley, Mo.

Dear Santa
My name is Debbie Duke, I am 9 years old.
For Christmas I would like a Swingy, Barbie clothes, and a Mrs. Beasley, and Santa please bring all of the little boys and girls what they want. Thank you,
Your friend
Debbie Drake



FUTURE NURSES CLUB officers at Charleston high school are from left, President Cheryll Grant; Vice-President Carolyn Lane; Secretary Gloria Butler; Reporter Bernice Grisson.

P.S. I will leave you some milk and cookies on the table.

Dear Santa,
I want a Hot Wheels Stunt Action Set for Christmas. Also A Johnny West, and Robby the Robot, and a bat car that sounds like a jet. I'd like to have a major Matt Mason set too.
I have been a pretty good boy this year. My mama said so.
My name is Mark Ramsey.

Dear Santa,
Please bring me a Space Set, a Johnny West with horse and wagon, a Tin Man Robot, a gun and holster and sheriff's badge. I would also like to have a projector and Kaboom.
I know I can't have all of these things so bring me what you can. Bust most of all I want the Projector. Your Friend.
Todd Ramsey
P.S. Don't forget my cousins Scott and Rodney, Jeff, Angie and Kim. And my cousins in Michigan, Terry, Jerry, Tammy, Ricky and David and Kevin.

Dear Santa,
I would like a farm set and a pair of boots and a guitar, live stock van, volkswagon. I live at Bell City, Mo. Rt. 1, Box 94 63735. Michael Jay Ramsey

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Dear Santa,
I want a double dare hot wheels set and a hot wheels action city and 4 hot wheels cars. A Matt Mason set and some Legos a Western World, A Johnny West. My name is Greg Ramsey, I live in Bell City, Mo.
P.S. a farm set and a truck terminal and a construction set and a funny pumper, Leapin Letters and Sorry Hide and Seek and a Bamm-bamm Punching Clown.

Dear Santa,
Here it is Christmas again and I knew you would want to know what I want this year. I've moved since last year so don't do to the wrong house, please? I've been a good girl again this year as I've always been in the past. I'm going to kindegarten, but we haven't learned to write yet so mommy is writing for me. I want a Cheerful- Tearful baby doll, talking Barbies, some doll clothes, a portable record player, and a clock to help teach me the time. I would also like an easy-bake oven and a new dress. Please, don't forget my little uncles who are 8 years and two years old. Also my cousins and all my little friends. Thank you Santa for remembering all the little boys and girls with the toys they ask for. Oh yes, if I haven't listed something you know I would like just bring it on. Love and surprises! Thank you, Kathy Christie 909 Alexander Sikeston, Mo. 63801
P.S. I'll leave you something to eat in the diningroom.

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20 Marriages Recorded

NEW MADRID - Twenty marriages were recorded in November in the office of George D. Boone, recorder:

J. D. Benton, 35, and Peggy Ferrell, 32, both of Stockton, Calif., married in Qulin by the Rev. O. L. Cox.

Richard Allen Jamison, 23, Caruthersville, and Carolyn Jeanette Mace, 19, Lilbourn, married in New Madrid by the Rev. Robert Burnes.

Roger Dale Ernsperger, 21, and Millie Marie Stafford, 23, both of Niles, Mich., married in New Madrid by the Rev. Robert Burnes.

Hosea Morrow, 31, and Mary Canady, 23, both of New Madrid, married in New Madrid by the Rev. E. L. Johnson.

Paul E. Barnes Jr., 19, Canalou and Phyllis Kay Lackey, 18, Morehouse, married in Morehouse by the Rev. W. H. Worth.

Lyndal Gene Cobb, 23, route one, Parma and Deborah Sue Guiledge, 16, East Prairie, married in Dexter by the Rev. Fred McKnight.

Sammy Lee Robbins, 21, and Flora Neeley, 27, both of Marston, married in Marston by the Rev. Ronald D. Riley.

Roy L. Smith, 74, and Gladys French, 51, both of Portageville, married in Portageville by the Rev. L. E. Butler.

Cary Dewayne Prince, 18, Marston and Dennis Blankenship, 18, Catron, married in Lilbourn by the Rev. Clayde Stone Jr.

J. C. Peacock III, 27, Fernandian Beach, Fla. and Cecelia Jeffords, 18, Marston, married in Marston by the Rev. Ronald D. Riley.

Ronnie Roland Ramage, 18, Marston, and Carolyn Anne Swain, 20, Lilbourn, married in New Madrid by the Rev. W. Paul Walden.

Eddie Alfred Clark, 22, and Karen Jean Burnes, 16, both of New Madrid, married in New Madrid by the Rev. Robert Burnes.

Joe E. Johnson, 26, and Janet Archie, 19, both of Gideon, married in Clarkton by the Rev. Elvin E. Graham.

Lonnie Polk, 17, and Sheila Burch, 19, both of Matthews, married in Matthews by the Rev. Raymond Myrick.

Jackie Eugene Vires, 27, and Janiece Vires, 21, both of Portageville, married in Portageville by the Rev. L. E. Butler.

Billy R. Beck, 25, and Sharon E. Haley, 17, both of Morehouse, married in Cape Girardeau by the Rev. D. T. Holland.

Robert L. C. Stultz, 25, and Gladys M. Moore, 33, both of Malden, married in New Madrid by Leo Hedgepeth, magistrate judge.

Doyle Wilburn Pettigrew, 20, Bragg City, and Hazel LaVerne Gaskins, 17, route one, Parma, married in New Madrid by Leo Hedgepeth, magistrate judge.

James David Long, 22, and Nancy Kay Patterson, 18, both of Parma, married in Marston by the Rev. Ronald D. Riley.

Lee Meltion Wilson, 26, and Joyce Marie Brown, 20, both of Portageville, married in Portageville by the Rev. Franklin G. Lowe.

Magistrate Court

BENTON: Court convened at 9:00 o'clock A.M. Officers present,
Hon. M.E. Montgomery, Judge and presiding
James E. Moore III, Assistant Prosecuting Attorney
John Dennis, Sheriff
Jack Stewart, Deputy Sheriff
Cletus Kluesner Deputy Sheriff
Josephine Klipfel, Magistrate Clerk

CRIMINAL CASES
IMPROPER REGISTRATION

Gary Lyn Dover, Defendant enters plea of guilty and punishment is fixed a a fine of $5.00. David Sims, Defendant failing to appear, Capias is ordered

PEACE DISTURBANCE

Dennis Blankenship, Defendant enters plea of guilty and punishment is fixed at a fine of $25.00 and costs and 60 days in jail and committed. The fine and costs being paid in full, jail sentence is stayed during good behavior.

HUNTING FUR BEARING ANIMALS DURING CLOSED SEASON

Larry J. Dannenmueller, Defendant enters plea of guilty and punishment is fixed at a fine of $5.00 and costs.

NO OPERATORS LICENSE

West Upchurch, The costs having been paid in full and $20.00 being paid on the fine, balance of the fine is stayed during good behavior.

MURDER

Ora Lee Hodge, Continued to First of December and set for prelimenary hearing.

CHEAT AND DEFRAND BY MEANS OF TRICK OR DECEPTION

Marvin Florence, continued to last of November at Sikeston, Missouri, to give the defendant time to procure legal advice.

CIVIL CASES
ACTION ON A NOTE

Universal C. I. T. Credit Corp. v. Jimmie Williams, Continued to first of December by agreement.

ACTION ON ACCOUNT

B. & H. Auto Supply, A Missouri Corp. v. Edward Hicks d/b/s Hicks Garage and Welding Shop, Judgement by default for Plaintiff in open account for $390.90 and costs.

OLDHAM, Lancashire, England (AP) — Jacqueline Kemp, 17, admitted having had 10 pints of beer, five bottles of champagne perry (pear cider) and "a lot more to drink" on the day she shouted at a policeman. She was fined 2 pounds (4.80 dollars) for using obscene language.

Pastore FCC Bill Opposed

WASHINGTON (AP) — The American Civil Liberties Union said Wednesday a bill by Sen. John O. Pastore, D-R.I., would deprive the Federal Communications Commission of its most effective tool for controlling use of the airways.

"That tool is competition for license," John Pemberton, executive director of the ACLU, said in testimony for the Senate Commerce Committee's communications subcommittee.

Pastore, the subcommittee chairman, said the attempt and the effect of his bill was being completely misinterpreted by opponents.

Under his bill, the FCC would have to decide not to renew a radio or television station's license before considering other applicants for the broadcasting channel. Licenses are up for renewal every three years.

Pastore said his bill would open hearings on license renewal to complaints from the little people who can't afford the cost of competing for radio or television stations.

In comparative hearings between competing applicants, he said, "It is the case of the wealthy fighting the wealthy."

He said applicants seeking to displace a license are not speaking for the black community or other community groups "but their own pocketbooks."

"I want this mass of the people to come in at the time of renewal applications," he said, adding that if the FCC finds their complaints justified it should refuse to renew a station's license and then accept other applications for the time.

"We're in total sympathy with the objective you have stated but we think your bill will defeat them," Pemberton said.

He maintained that, without competing applications for license up for renewal, the FCC "will be nearly powerless to influence the use of the public airways in a manner suited to meet the public's needs."

The National Association of Broadcast Employes and Technicians, AFL-CIO, supported the bill, saying that better public service by broadcasters cannot be achieved by opening the door "to the triumph of promise over performance."

Dr. David Poling, president of the Christian Herald Magazine, also urged passage of the bill, as did the Rev. David N. Liconish, associate minister of the Abyssinian Baptist Church in Harlem.

Poling said the bill would protect stations from "unjustified threats and unwarranted intimidations by tiny but well fueled dissident groups."

But the Rev. Dr. Everett C. Barker of the United Church of Christ urged defeat of the bill. He said competing applications serve a self-policing function. He said he was speaking as an individual because his church had been warned it might lose its tax-exempt status if it took a stand on legislation.

Also opposing the bill was David L. Ratzka of the United Christian Missionery Society.

"With the elimination of challenges for licenses," he said, "one of the most effective incentives to improve station performance will be removed."

Thanksgiving Guests

MATTHEWS — Miss Selma Gruen of Alton, Il.; Marcus Koch and family; Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Gruen; Nelson Gruen and family; Dale Geske and family; and William Gruen were Thanksgiving Day guests at a family dinner at the home of Mrs. Fred Geske in Sikeston, Thursday.

Edward Elgar's "Pomp and Circumstance" marches were written for the coronation exercises of King Edward VII of England in 1901.



Reasons Sound for Going Slow on 'Nixon Doctrine'

By BRUCE BIOSSAT
NEA Washington Correspondent

WASHINGTON (NEA)

President Nixon, by the word of some of his perceptive associates, has two main reasons for feeling his way slowly toward his declared "major shift" in U.S. foreign policy. The shift: To end our fighting in Vietnam and do less everywhere in the world.

Naturally, the critical and the wary voice skepticism about the President's intentions in Vietnam and elsewhere. Some detractors admit to an unshakable distrust of Nixon, the man. Some worry goes to the fact that he long was seen as aggressively committed to a high U.S. military profile in the cold war and later struggles against communism.

Some leading Democrats and other critics justify their doubts over Nixon by contending he is above all a political man—and therefore will not really move far from what not long ago was deemed the largely hawkish view of world affairs held by most in his own Republican party.

But the whole theme underlying the proposed worldwide pullback he laid out to newsmen in Guam on July 25 represents two key things:

His evident personal conviction that the "high profile" approach is wrong for the years ahead.

His unmistakably political judgment that the national mood is deeply changed, that there are very few true hawks left in this country, that most Americans who once supported the "high profile" approach and its military tone are utterly disillusioned with it—largely because of the human cost and seeming futility of our big role in Vietnam.

His Guam doctrine makes clear repeatedly that he would retain for America in Asia, Europe and elsewhere a role of great influence befitting our unmatched power.

To the extent the President has withdrawn any U.S. troops at all without waiting for a negotiated or other withdrawal of North Vietnamese troops, he is ahead of any responsible dove position voiced in 1968.

He is there, and in the view of many hard-headed appraisers is embarked irreversibly on a unilateral withdrawal course, because he and another political animal, Secretary of Defense Melvin Laird, clearly perceive the altered mood of the nation's adult voting majority.

Why, then, go slow, especially when the militant antiwar young and the established, adult antiwar liberals command greater speed?

In fairness, even the skeptics must listen to the arguments the President's knowledgeable associates advance.

One reason, they say, is that he is deeply concerned that the kind of general world pullback the "Nixon doctrine" of Guam calls for, involving severe reductions of manpower and money outlay for our overseas presence, could stun some of our allies—particularly in Europe.

The second reason is that, convinced though he be that a national majority which once backed the Vietnam war and a high U.S. profile everywhere is now sick of it all, Nixon is somewhat unsure of the full extent of that change and how the new mood should be met.

Liberty Hotel Corp. Declared Bankrupt

ST. LOUIS (AP) — The Liberty Hotel Corp., was decoared bankrupt Wednesday by U.S. Dist. Court Judge James H. Meredith.

The Corporation formerly operated Ben Franklin Hotel in downtown St. Louis.

The bankruptcy judgment came as a result of petitions by three meat suppliers for payment of more than $8,000 in back bills. A statement by Fred Monterubio, president of Liberty Hotel, saying the firm could not pay its debts, was filed by the creditors.

The Ben Franklin Hotel's financial problems were worsened last spring when a mechanical breakdown at an adjacent automatic parking garage kept 44 automobiles trapped for more than a month.

The hotel had to pay transportation of guests stranded because they could not get their cars and reimbursed other motorists for the loss of their vehicles.

Nixon Issues Special Session Threat

WASHINGTON (AP) — President Nixon threatened today to call Congress back into special session Dec. 26 unless it acts on all appropriation measures before adjourning later this month, Republican leaders said.

Sen. Hugh Scott of Pennsylvania and Rep. Gerald R. Ford of Michigan related the President's threat following the weekly Republican leadership meeting with Nixon at the White House.

The witch hazel shrub has jointed, curving branches that twist and point in all directions. The forked twigs have been used for divining rods and its name comes from this.

Swope Bound Over On Assault Charge

CHARLESTON---Cases heard in magistrate court by Judge Tom Brown, Jr. from Nov. 22 through Tuesday:

Henry L. Swope charged with felonious assault, bound over to circuit court to appear Tuesday or such date at the court may set.

Billy Joe Garrett, alias, Bobby Hoe Garrett, charged with stealing, received a thirty day jail sentence.

Gruce Jones, charged with contributing to the deliquency of a minor, was released from confinement with condition of parole of Oct. 9 to remain effective.

Sharon Hatton, charged with uttering and passing check with intent to defraud; cause dismissed by state at cost to the defendant.

Careless and reckless driving charges brought a $5 fine, $11 cost to Zan Dorr Coots. Robert Lee Thurman paid a $10 fine plus $11 costs on a similar charge.

James Mitchell and Charles Ray Gerner each paid a total of $26 fines and costs on careless and imprudent driving charges.

Speeding charges brought the following fines and costs to Edna Ruth Cook, $10, plus $11; Larry David Willisams, $13, plus $11; James Edward Eaves, $19, plus $11; Hubert Levern Simpson, $5, plus $12; and David Junior Dixon, $11, plus $11 costs.

Robert Louis Andrews paid a $100 fine and $18.50 costs for driving while intoxicated and W.C. Johnson paid a $100 fine and costs of $13 for a similar charge.

A disturbing the peace charge was dismissed against Bobby Dale Kestner at cost to the defendant of $9.50.

A prelimenary hearing was set for Dec. 11 for James Richard Davis, charged with stealing. A $1500 bond continues in effect.

Bobby Dale Kentner, first count-excessly loud and noisy muffler; second count, failure to transfer license; a $10 fine was assessed on first count and $5 fine on second count and $11 court cost.

Winchester Chevrolet Co. vs. Rex Burney; suit on installment contract and account was dismissed by plaintiff with prejudice.

First Federal Saving and Loan of Cape Girardeau vs. James R. Rodgers and Eveline Rodgers; suit for recovery of possession of property for nonpayment of rent was ordered dismissed by court; said cause was dismissed by plaintiff with prejudice.

A plaque in the floor of the Capitol in Washington, D.C. marks the spot where John Quincy Adams was stricken in 1[illegible]

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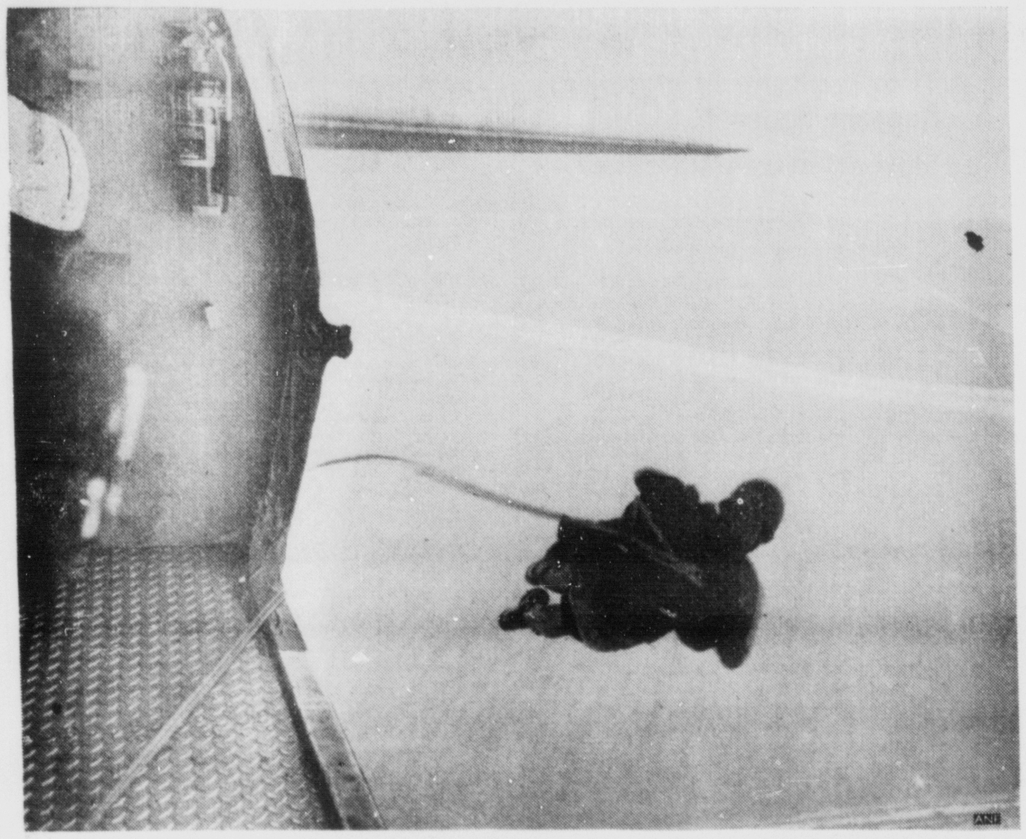


Mr. Don C. Glover, minister of the church, will show color slides of the three-weeks' tour that took him to Egypt, Lebanon, Cyprus, Israel, Turkey (ancient Asia Minor), Greece, Rome, and London.
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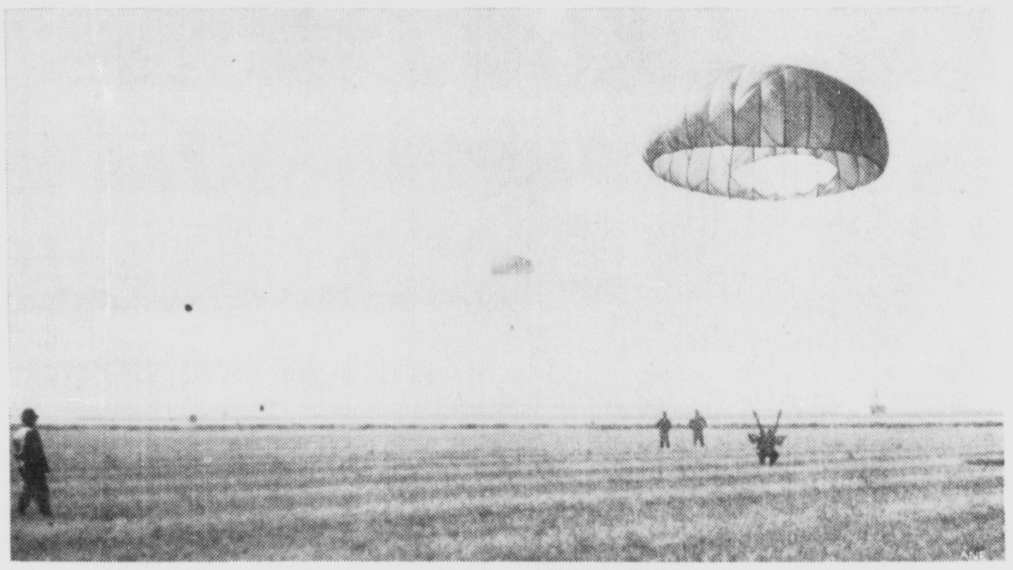


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Practice Jumps Keep Army Paratroopers Proficient



OUT THE DOOR — Sp4 Martin Lessley leaps out the door of an Army C-47 aircraft over the drop zone. The static line attached to Specialist Lessley's back is anchored to the C-47's floor and opens the parachute. Specialist Lessley is from National City, Calif.



SOFT LANDING — Sfc Phillip Hanes touches ground while three members of the Airborne Equipment Detachment study the landing. Still floating down is Sp5 Robert Ashford, Terral, Okla. Sergeant Hanes is from Claremore, Okla. The elliptical-shaped hole in the chute helps paratroopers maneuver during descent.

A Practice Jump With A Sharpe Army Depot Unit

Just as marksmen must practice shooting, so must the all-paratrooper Airborne Equipment Detachment at Sharpe Army Depot, Lathrop, Calif., practice parachute jumping.

Once each month this small, 10-soldier unit boards an Army C-47 aircraft and takes off to make a practice jump. As airborne-qualified soldiers, the men are required to make the jump to maintain their proficiency as paratroopers.

The soldiers have attended jump school at either Fort Bragg, N.C., or Fort Benning, Ga. There are several Vietnam veterans in the group. All of the enlisted men in the unit work at the depot as parachute riggers. All pack their own parachutes for the jumps.

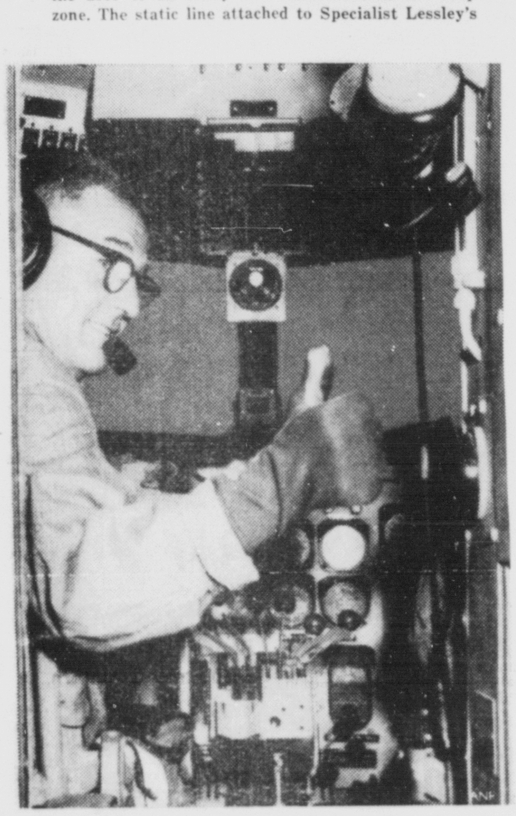
As the C-47 approaches the drop zone (DZ), the good-natured joking fades, and one by one the skytroopers drop out of the conversation.

The pilot makes a "dry run" over the DZ to determine the direction of wind currents.

On the next pass over the DZ, the paratroopers, after receiving the green light, jump out the door of the C-47. Soon the sky is dotted with paratroopers drifting smoothly toward the earth. For these airborne soldiers, the return trip to earth is an exhilarating, sensational experience.

After reaching the ground, the paratrooper then stands by to watch the performance of the men still descending. The paratroopers do not hesitate to point out errors in each other's form or technique.

Enroute back to Sharpe, the men agree it was a "good jump." They know that making a good jump takes practice. So in another month, these airborne soldiers will board the C-47 again. (ANF)



NEARING THE DROP ZONE—Pilot Billie Jackson gives the "thumb's up" signal notifying jumpers that they are nearing the drop zone. Jackson, from Manteca, Calif., is a civilian test pilot employed at Sharpe Army Depot.



"CHUTING UP" — Soldiers of Sharpe Army Depot's Airborne Equipment Detachment use the "buddy system" to check each other's straps and parachutes before boarding an Army C-47 aircraft for their monthly practice jump. The jumpers are, from left, Sp5 Robert Ashford, Terral, Okla.; Sp4 Martin Lessley, National City, Calif.; Sfc Lewis Fowler, Otoka, Okla.; Sfc Phillip Hanes, Claremore, Okla.; Capt. Norris Mitchell, Glen Dale, W. Va.; and S/Sgt. Arnold Nation, LeRoy, Minn.

U.S. Army Photos by Bernard Vigil, Sharpe Army Depot



READY—Capt. Norris Mitchell (left) practices positioning himself in the aircraft door for a jump while Sfc Phillip Hanes, jumpmaster, stands by. Captain Mitchell, Glen Dale, W. Va., is military assistant to the director of supply and transportation at Sharpe Army Depot. Sergeant Hanes is from Claremore, Okla.



INSIDE THE PLANE—Waiting for the pilot's jump signal are from left, front row, Capt. Norris Mitchell, Glen Dale, W.Va.; Sp4 Martin Lessley, National City, Okla.; second row, Sfc Lewis Fowler, Otoka, Okla.; Sfc Phillip Hanes, Claremore, Okla.; last row, S/Sgt. Arnold Nation, LeRoy, Minn.; and Sp5 Robert Ashford, Terral, Okla.

Slight Putdown on Nuns

The contour of Jerry Rubin's face from the top of his head to his chin - resembles a house mop.

Rubin chooses to ignore good grooming. Maybe he is rejecting the axiom "Cleanliness is next to Godliness." Judging from his appearance and actions, he seems to have rejected both.

Rubin is one of "our children," (as one playwright sanctimoniously called them) who attended the Democratic Convention to demonstrate against the existing order of things. He is one of "our older children," being 30 going on 31 (one newspaper stated his age as 36). He has a natural bent for dissension and has found vent for this as one of the leaders of the Youth International Party, whose followers are commonly called Yippies. Yippies are an extension of the hippies and want to universalize bizarre dress, antisocial behavior in the unbelievable extreme, and inhuman causes - in the name of humaneness.

One newspaper account gave a sketchy resume of Rubin which indicates his qualifications as a leader of the Yippies and certainly underscores his proclivity for social disruption:

"Rubin is a member of the National (sic) Coordinating Committee to End the War in Viet Nam, which is Communist-infiltrated. Rubin visited Cuba during 1964. He attended, and was arrested for participating in, a demonstration against Gen. Maxwell Taylor on August 24, 1965. He was also arrested for disorderly conduct in Washington, D.C., on August 19, 1966, for being a public nuisance, and in Oakland, Calif., for criminal trespassing on November 30, 1966. He was convicted in the student sit- in at the University of California in Berkeley on January 28, 1967. On August 28, 1968, he was arrested at Madison and Dearborn Streets in Chicago for having led a large group of Yippies who entered the downtown area and commenced throwing cans and garbage into the streets."

While the above newspaper story doesn't go into the specifics of Rubin's revolutionary employment record, it does show he is capable of relocating. As it is said in the language of the swinger, "He goes where the action is."

For instance in Washington, in 1966, the House Committee on Un- American Activities was in session and Rubin showed up- along with some "200 pacifists, Communists, dupes, beatniks, and nuts"- as noted by the editor of Life Lines who attended the UCUA hearing (Vol. 8, No. 102, August 26, 1966) - to protest HCUA's possible legislative recommendations to stop so-called Americans from aiding the Viet Cong and North Viet Nam. Rubin and his ilk disrupted the HCUA hearings so badly that dozens of disrupters were hauled off to jail.

In those days, Rubin sported one of those bushy, how- are-you- Joe- Stalin moustaches and looked as though he immersed himself in water from time to time.

But in Chicago at the Democratic Convention, Rubin appeared to set a "dirty mop" fashion for his callow following.

Some newspapers gave his Chicago appearance front page coverage when he confronted Mayor Daley with the challenge of a debate anywhere, anytime, on the actions of the rioters - actions which included kicking policemen in the groin, and hurling excrement, bottles, and bricks to incantations of "peace, peace peace" and "pigs, pigs, pigs."

How could Rubin defend those sordid actions? He can. Rubin can defend anything he wants, and justify the most amoral causes imaginable because he has no inhibitions about booting cherished institutions in the hindmost.

If you doubt this, note the following excerpt from an article as it appeared in a foul "underground" newspaper. It carries a Jerry Rubin byline and laments the fact that he had been kicked out of the Newport Folk Festival for "giving pornographic literature to a nun."

Writes he:

"I walked over to give them (four nuns) a copy of the Free Yippie newspaper, brightly-colored, ten- page paper including drawings, poetry, and spiritual thoughts from our anarchist - revolutionary point of view.

"Included in the paper is valuable information like: 'How to make a firebomb.' Also an essay on America titled: 'America Eats the World for Desert,' and scattered thought...

"There was a drawing of a couple making love in the paper and there was one passage which included a slight putdown on nuns. It read, '... How dare you tell the poor that their poverty is deserved? (Obscenity!) Nuns: Laugh at professors; disobey your parents; burn your money;...'

Then our courier of moral and social taints explains that his "motivation was not malicious. My purpose was a free exchange of information."

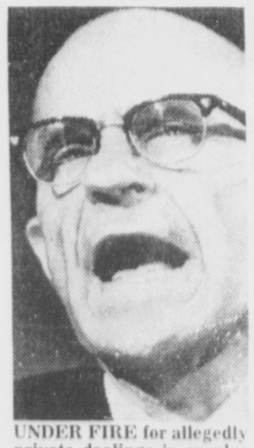
He is puttin' us on. The sheer audacity of it stuns the mind - "firebombs, couple making love." Nothing malicious, to say nothing of the anarchic mood of the whole thing. To offer this sort of material to anybody with a shred of decency is shock enough, but to show it to a nun who dedicates her life's work to mental and physical purity in the name of God?

The point is not whether he is puttin' us on. He is serving his cause by sheer power of shock value. Like the early days of civil anarchy in American cities, after awhile it gained a sort of commonplaceness and, in some quarters, an acceptance.

Our "child" has assaulted the foundation of our moral code. Our "child" denied knowing pornographic literature from good literature; he knows not the difference between a four-letter word and the word "gosh." In essence he denied the concept of good and evil; everything is relevant, there are no standards.

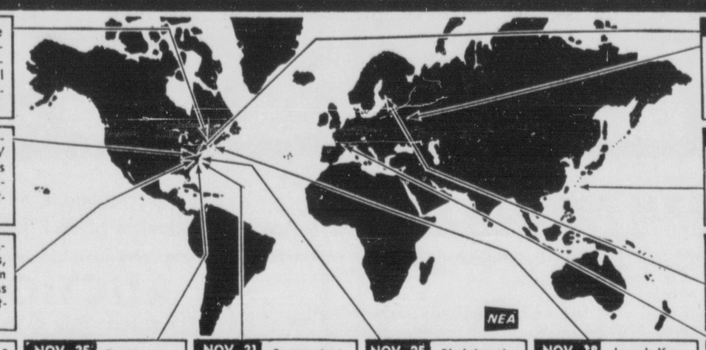
Jerry Rubin the writer, Jerry Rubin the Yippie leader, and Jerry Rubin the professional anarchist and his ideological kindred will, if given enough rope, help to hang the American system.

First, they would shock it into insensitivity.



UNDER FIRE for allegedly private dealings in surplus police guns turned over to the Army, retired Maj. Gen. Carl Turner was spotlighted in continuing congressional probing of the military. Turner recently resigned as chief of U.S. marshals.

LAST MONTH IN HISTORY



NOV. 11 Bombs are set off in New York skyscrapers causing damage to the RCA, General Motors and Chase Manhattan Bank buildings.

NOV. 13 Vice President Agnew attacks TV network programs as selective and often biased. A later speech attacks printed media.

NOV. 15 Some 300,000 demonstrators, mostly young, arrive in nation's capital for mass march and rally protesting the Vietnam war.

NOV. 19 Apollo 12 astronauts Charles Conrad and Alan Bean land on the moon and take two lunar walks before blasting off for earth.

NOV. 25 Senate votes to continue the income tax surcharge, but at a reduced rate of five per cent and only for the first six months of 1970.

NOV. 21 Senate decisively rejects President Nixon's nomination of Judge Clement Haynsworth as associate justice of Supreme Court.

NOV. 25 Pledging the U.S. would never engage in germ warfare, President Nixon renounces all but defensive use of chemical weapons.

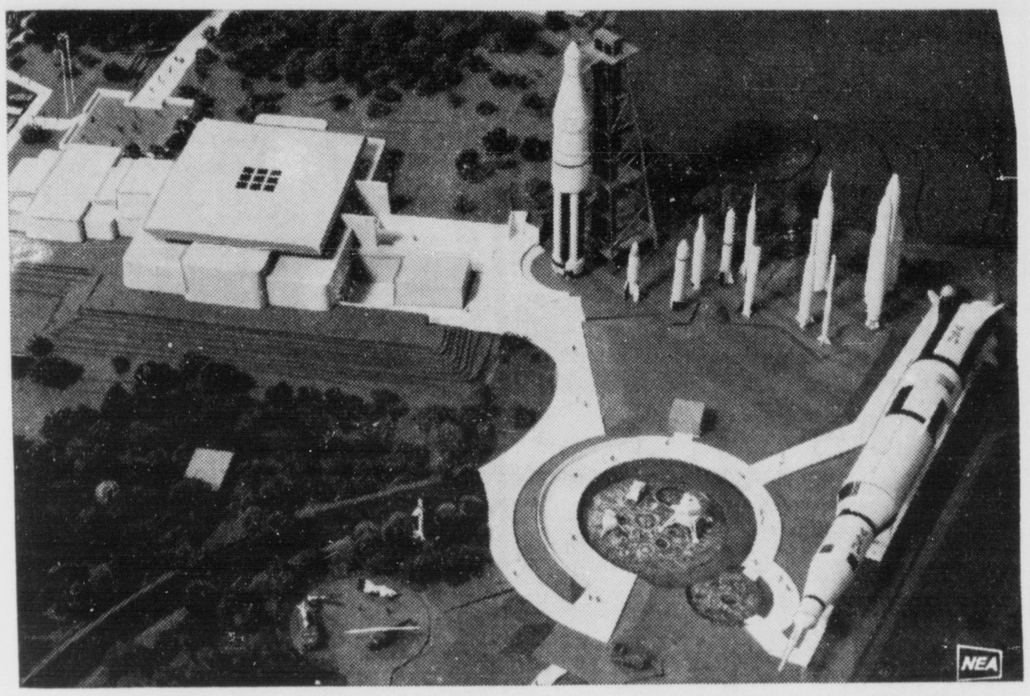
NOV. 18 Joseph Kennedy, one of the country's wealthiest men and patriarch of a political dynasty beset by tragedy, dies at 81.

NOV. 24 In U.S., President Nixon signs treaty to prevent spread of nuclear weapons as President Podgorny signs it in Moscow.

NOV. 21 U.S. and Japan agree on return of Okinawa to Japan in 1972. Agreement calls for removal of atomic weapons from island.

NOV. 17 In an atmosphere of cordiality, the U.S. and Soviet Union open preliminary discussions on limitation of strategic arms.

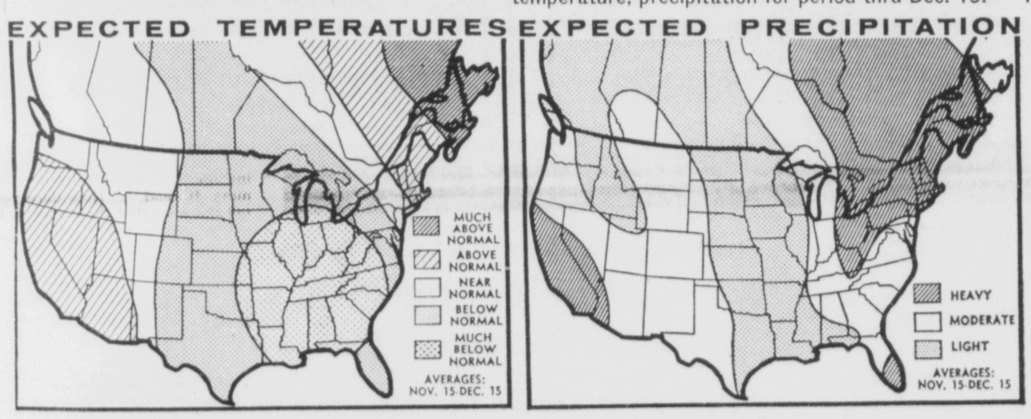
NOV. 20 Disappointed with results, ambassador Henry Cabot Lodge resigns as chief U.S. negotiator to Paris peace talks.



AMERICA'S LARGEST space and rocket center is scheduled to open this fall in Huntsville, Ala. This artist's concept shows the facility, which will include in its exhibits full-sized moon vehicles standing in a 90-foot crater built to simulate a typical landing site on the lunar surface.

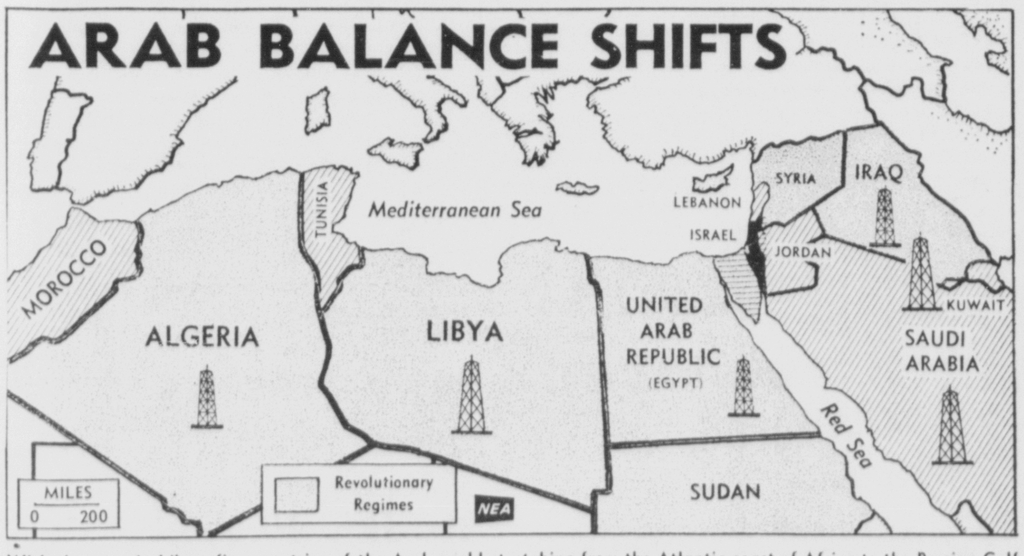
FRIGID FALL

Maps show Weather Bureau's forecast of average temperature, precipitation for period thru Dec. 15.



Below-normal temperatures are predicted over the eastern two-thirds of the nation except for near- to above-normal in the Northeastern states.

Precipitation is expected to exceed normal over the Ohio Valley and Northeast as well as California. Subnormal totals are indicated in central states.



With the coup in Libya, five countries of the Arab world stretching from the Atlantic coast of Africa to the Persian Gulf are now ruled by revolutionary military regimes—Algeria, Libya, Egypt, Syria and Iraq. Half-Arab Sudan is also under military control. Moderate governments remain in power in Morocco, Saudi Arabia, Jordan and Kuwait (all monarchies) and Tunisia and Lebanon (parliamentary democracies). One of the major oil producers of the area, Libya's wells yield a million barrels a day.



EMPTY NOW, but the Brno Velodrome in Czechoslovakia will soon be alive with activity when the World Amateur Cycling championship races are held here on Aug. 15-24. Competitors from 31 countries are expected to participate in the event. An overhanging roof keeps the track dry in bad weather.

CLASSIFIED ADS WORK WONDERS

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4-H Girls Have Whirlwind Chicago Congress Trip

Three Missouri girls who were among the state's top 4-H winners have had their first taste of Christmas. Winners of a five-day trip to Chicago after Thanksgiving, the three young women attended the 48th National 4-H Congress, visited museums, squeezed in some Christmas shopping and enjoyed the yuletide decorations.

The trip winners were: Carla Sartin of Marionville; Marsha Bishop of Golden City, and Linda Tribble of Grovespring.

Donors of the trip awards were Merck & Co., Inc., for the 4-H Horse project, Simplicity Pattern Co. Inc., for the dress revue project, and Oliver-White for dairy. Winners were selected by the Cooperative Extension Service.

Miss Sartin, 19, daughter of Mrs. Betty Sartin, after six years of 4-H Horsemanship activities, has decided on a career as a professional horse trainer. She has trained 47 horses, has taught riding and given demonstrations on everything from how to shoe a horse to how to judge halter horses.

An annual winner of the county horsemanship award, Miss Sartin is expert at breaking horses, unstiffening joints and stitching saddles.

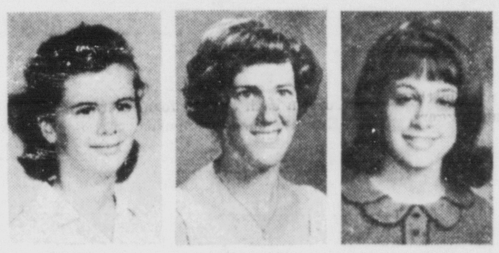
Miss Bishop, 17, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Bishop, has modeled her handmade gray tweed suit to first place in district and state shows. She represented southwest Missouri in the state dress revue in 1968 and again this year.

In eight years, Miss Bishop won 92 blue, 19 red and five white ribbons. A three-time delegate to state events, the young woman has been awarded trips to the 4-H State and Washington, D.C., Citizenship Short Courses.

Miss Tribble, 19, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Howard Tribble, is a freshman at the University of Missouri where she is studying for a career in veterinary medicine.

Her achievements in her dairy project included grand champions at county fairs. She won county, district and state honors for her exhibits and demonstrations yearly for the past nine years.

She was one of 36 sectional award winners in the national 4-H Dairy program.



Carla Sartin — Linda Tribble — Marsha Bishop



LITTLE JUMPER — Sgt. Robert C. Burns helps Douglas Milburn, 5 put on a parachute harness for a simulated parachute jump. Two miniature jump towers were erected at Pope Air Force Base for the enjoyment of children visiting the base during Armed Forces Day. Sergeant Burns is a member of the 82d Airborne Division, Fort Bragg, N.C.

PUBLIC NOTICE

CIRCUIT COURT FOR THE COUNTY OF SCOTT STATE OF MISSOURI

IN THE INTEREST OF:)
Plaintiff)
vs.)
ROGER DALE ABBOTT,)
EDNA MYRTLE SNOW,)
AND DONALD EUGENE SNOW,)
children under the age of seventeen years of age,)
Defendant)

Number 965-J

ORDER OF PUBLICATION OF NOTICE

The State of Missouri to defendant Buck Snow, father of Eda Myrtle Snow and Donald Eugene Snow.

The names of all the parties to said suit are stated above in the caption hereof and the name and address for plaintiff is Mr. Fred Glover, Juvenile Officer, Sikeston, Missouri.

You are further notified that, unless you file an answer or other pleading or shall otherwise appear and defend against the aforesaid petition within 45 days after the 14th day of November 1969, judgment by default will be rendered against you.

It is ordered that a copy hereof be published according to law in the Daily Sikeston Standard, a newspaper of general circulation published in the County of Scott, State of Missouri.

A true copy from the record.

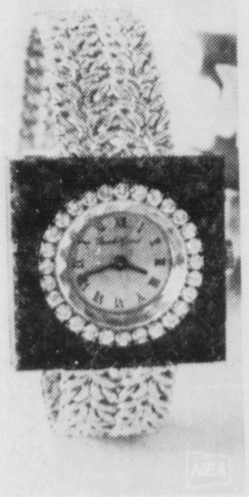
Witness my hand and the seal of the circuit court this 12th day of November, 1969.

Lynn F. Ingram, Circuit Clerk

41-47-53-59
(SEAL)



SKIRTING the conventional, actress Jane Fonda wears traditional Indian "Kurta Pajama" (long shirt and baggy bellbottoms) as she heads for the foreign ministry in New Delhi to obtain a visa for a visit to Gangtok, capital of northern Sikkim.



Diamonds are still a girl's best friend, especially when they're surrounding a Roman numeral dial set into a square of lapis lazuli. The "braided" bracelet is 18K yellow gold. The Swiss watch was designed by Buechi Girod. (Watchmakers of Switzerland)



The Grand Canyon's 4,000-foot cliffs make it the deepest of the 19 canyons along the 1,400-mile course of the Colorado River, The World Almanac says. The canyons were formed over 600 million years by the river's eroding layers of rock while the land moved upward in a slow unheaval. Clearly seen strata and fossils on canyon walls reveal more of the earth's history more vividly than anywhere else in the world.

NOTICE OF TRUSTEE'S SALE

Default having been made in the payment of a certain promissory note described in and secured by a Deed of Trust dated December 15, 1959, and record in Book 123, pages 175-178 thereof, in the office of the Recorder of Deeds for Scott County, Missouri, and executed by Harold R. Hill and Dorothy H. Hill, his wife, and because of such default the legal holder of said note has requested the undersigned Trustee to carry out the terms of said Deed of Trust.

Now, therefore, I, Berl E. Cohoon, Trustee named in the afore-mentioned Deed of Trust, having been requested so to do by the legal holder and owner of said note, will in accordance with the terms of said Deed of Trust on Tuesday, December 9, 1969, between the hours of nine A. M. and five P.M. of said date at the front door of the County Circuit Court House in the Town of Benton, Scott County, Missouri, sell at public vendue to the highest bidder, for cash, the property in said Deed of Trust described, situated in Scott County, Missouri, to-wit:

The West half of Lot 3 of the Northeast Quarter of Section 2, Township 27 North, Range 13 East of the 5th Principal Meridian, containing 40 acres, more or less, for the purpose of satisfying said debt and cost of sale, or so much thereof as the proceeds therefrom are sufficient to pay.

Berl E. Cohoon, Trustee

Fred E. Steck
Attorney for Trustee
Sikeston, Missouri
41-47-53-59.

CIRCUIT COURT FOR THE COUNTY OF SCOTT STATE OF MISSOURI

LINDA STEAKLEY)
Plaintiff)
vs.)
JERRY ALLEN STEAKLEY)
Defendant)

Number 5851

ORDER OF PUBLICATION OF NOTICE

The State of Missouri to defendant Jerry Allen Steakley.

You are hereby notified that an action has been commenced against you in the Circuit Court for the County of Scott, Missouri, the object and general nature of which is Action for Divorce.

The names of all the parties to said suit are stated above in the caption hereof and the name and address of the attorney for plaintiff is Robert A. Dempster, 215 North Stoddard St., Sikeston, Missouri.

You are further notified that, unless you file an answer or other pleading or shall otherwise appear and defend againt the aforesaid petition within 45 days after the 14th day of November 1969, judgment by default will be rendered against you.

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Lynn F. Ingram, Circuit Clerk

41-47-53-59
(SEAL)

TRUSTEE'S SALE

WHEREAS, Walter G. Winfield and Allene Winfield, his wife, by a certain Deed of Trust dated the 10th day of March, 1969, and recorded in the office of the Recorder of Deeds for the County of Scott and the State of Missouri, in Book 164, Page 263, conveyed to the undersigned Trustee the following described real estate situated in the County of Scott and State of Missouri, to wit:

All of Lot Numbered Sixteen (16) and the West half (W 1/2) of Lot Numbered Seventeen (17) in Block numbered Eight (8) of McCoy and Tanner's Second (2nd) Addition to the City of Sikeston, Scott County, Missouri.

Which conveyance was made to the undersigned in trust to secure the payment of a certain Promissory Note in said Deed specified; and

WHEREAS, said note is now past due and remains unpaid default having been made in the payment of said note.

NOW, THEREFORE, at the request of the legal holder of said Note and in pursuance of the conditions of said Deed of Trust, the undersigned Trustee will sell the property above described at public vendue to the highest bidder for cash at the main front door of the Circuit Court House in the City of Benton, Scott County, Missouri, on December 16, 1969, between the hours of 9:00 A.M., and 5:00 P.M., for the purpose of satisfying said indebtedness and the cost of executing this trust.

Roberts T. Williams, Trustee

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CLASSIFIED RATES

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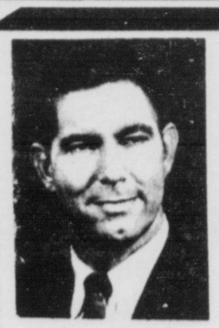
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DON'T WRITE SANTA JUST CALL US for this cute 2 bedroom home, newly redecorated throughout. Extra large bedrooms, Living room, Dining room & hall carpeted. Nice kitchen, large bath, closed in back porch. FULL BASEMENT, storm doors & windows, fully insulated, FHA appraised and total price of 111 Baker Lane is only $14,450. VACANT, you can be moved before Christmas.

I SAW MOMMY KISSING SANTA ... because he is giving her this beautiful Brick & frame home for Christmas. In choice area, quiet street perfect for children. Kitchen has built-ins, pretty Cherry cabinets & Inlayed floor. Ceramic tile bath has shower over tub, tub enclosure, Central heat, H.W. floors, sliding glass doors open to Patio, Storage room, Carport. What a Christmas present and 406 Phelps St. is priced at only $12,885.

A BIG CHIMNEY FOR SANTA, TWO (2) YES 2 FIREPLACES IN THIS SPACIOUS 4 BDRM. BRICK HOME. Just part of it's other features include 28x15 Living room, with fireplace, 5 walk-in closets, 2 full baths, modernized kitchen has dishwasher, disposal, Maple cabinets, oven & range, 15x16 Dining room. Full basement has eye catchin fireplace, built-in Bar and Couch and regulation Pool table. Fully carpeted, Central heat, nicely landscaped 120x150 ft. lot. $21,000. If you want to make your family happy in '70, make your appointment now to see this fine home.

"STUFFIN' PEOPLE" into a house that's too small for your family? No need for that - very charming story & half, 4 bedrooms, large living room & dining area, kitchen has pretty cabinets & disposal, bath has shower over tub, 20x20 Brick Patio, Utility room, 70.83 x 138.7 ft. lot. 909 Sikest St. is realistically priced at $15,635. Vacant. YOU CAN MOVE TODAY.

What are you waiting for CHRISTMAS? Well, you're just in time. Come see this 3 Bdrm. frame (Asb. Siding) home at 407 Marion St. Durable Ceramic bath has shower over tub, tub, enclosure, nice kitchen & Living room, Central heat. H. W. floors, Carport, Alum. storm doors & windows. Price dropped to $11,400. LET US MEET YOU WITH THE KEY TODAY.

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TIME	KFVS Channel 12 Cape Girardeau	WPSD Channel 6 Paducah	WSIL Channel 3 Harrisburgh
FRIDAY EVENING PROGRAMS			
5	30 THE REGIONAL NEWS- 45 THE SCOREBOARD- 50 WATCHING THE WEATHER-	30 Huntley-Brinkley -	
6	00 CBS EVENING NEWS- 30 Get Smart-	00 6 P.M. Report 30 Rudolph the Red Nosed Reindeer	00 Cactus Pete 25 Weather (C) 30 Lets Make A Deal
7	00 The Good Guys-c 30 Hogan's Heroes-	30 Name of the Game	00 Brady Bunch 30 Mr. Deeds Goes To Town (C)
8	00 FRIDAY NIGHT MOVIE\		00 Here Comes Brides
9		10 Bracken's World	30 Lennon Sisters
10	00 CHANNEL 12 REPORTS 15 THE LATE WEATHER 25 THE SPORTS FINAL 30 MERV GRIFFIN SHOW-	00 News Picture - 30 Tonight Show -	30 Weather & News 30 Joey Bishop (C
11			
12	15 LATE NEWS HIGHLIGH		00 Friday Late Movie The Homesteader 1:00 News & Sign Off
SATURDAY PROGRAMS			
6	00 Sunrise Semester- 30 Gospel Train- 45 Sat. Mornino News & Weather-		
7	00 The Jetsons-Color (30 Bugs Bunny-Roadrunner Hour	00 RFD-TV 30 Atop the Fence Post 55 News	00 Casper Cartoons 30 Smoky The Bear
8	10 Dastardly & Muttley in Their Flying Machine	00 Here Comes the Grump 30 Pink Panther	00 Chattanooga Cats
9	00 Perils Of Penelope Pitstop 30 Scooby-Doowhere Are You-	00 H.R. Pufnstuff 30 Banana Splits Adventure Hour	00 Hot Wheels (C) 30 The Hardy Boys
10	00 Archie Comedy Hour	30 Jambo	00 Sky Hawk (C) 30 Adv of Gulliver
11	00 The Monkeys 10 Wacky Races	00 Flintstones 30 Underdog -	00 Fantastic Voyage 30 Am Bandstand (C)
12	00 Superman-c 30 Jonny Quest-	00 Insight - c 30 Quarterback Club 45 Fife &	30 NCAA Football Texas vs Ark.
1	00 Marshal Dillon 30 KFVS-TV Public Affairs	00 AFL Football- N.Y. at Houston	
2	00 Saturday Matinee		
3	15 Film		30 USOA HiLites
4	00 Glory Road-C 30 The Lester Family-	00 File 6 30 Of College Row	30 World of Sports
5	00 The Flintstones-Colo 30 The Regional News-Co 45 The Scoreboard-Color 50 Watching the Weather-	00 Kilburn Bros. Show 30 Huntley-Brinkley -	30 Championship Wrestling (C)
6	00 CBS Sat. Evening News 30 Jackie Gleason Show-C	00 Porter Wagoner 30 Littlest Angel	30 Dating Game
7	30 My Three Sons	15 Adam 12	00 Newlywed Game 30 Lawrence Welk
8	00 Green Acres-Color 30 Petticoat Junction	00 Sat. Nite Movie - "Hallelujah Trail" Burt Lancaster - Lee Remick	30 Hollywood Palace
9			10 Bill Anderson
10	00 The Saturday Night 45 The Late Weather- 55 The Sports Final 00 The Show of the Week		00 ABC News (C) 15 Sat Evening News & Weather (C) 30 Saturday Night Movie Francis Covers the Big Town
11		00 News Picture - c 30 Weekend at the Movies TBA	
12	45 Invitation for Tomorrow		11:00 Sign Off
SUNDAY PROGRAMS			
6	00 THE CHRISTOPHERS 30 THE BIG PICTURE-		
7	00 REVIVAL FIRES- 30 HERALD OF TRUTH	00 Faith for Today - c 30 Gospel Singing Jubilee	15 Dixon Steps Report (C) 30 The Storm (C)
8	00 Tom & Jerry-Color 30 Batman-Color CBS	30 Paducah Devotion	00 Oral Roberts 30 Dudley Doright
9	00 Lamp Unto My Feet- 30 Look Up & Live-CBS	15 Hamilton Bros. Quartet 30 Herald of Truth - c	30 Georgeof Jungle 30 Fantastic Four
10	00 CAMERA THREE 30 THE ANSWER	00 This is the Life 30 The Answer - c	00 Bullwinkle 30 Discovery
11	00 Face the Nation- 30 This is the Life-	00 Popeye - 30 Frontiers of Faith	00 College Football
12	00 NFL Today-Color CBS (St. Louis at New York) NFL Today-Color CBS (Minnesota at Los Angeles)-	00 Meet the Press - 30 AFL Football-Oakland at Miami	30 Directions (C) 30 Issues & Answers
1			00 Sunday Matinee
2			00 Untouchables
3		00 AFL Football- Buffalo at Kansas City	
4			00 Educational 30 Tile To The Life
5			00 F Troop (C) 30 That Good Ole Nashville Music
6	00 Charlie Brown Christmas- 10 Frosty the Snowman-Color	00 Wild Kingdom - 30 Walt Disney's	00 Land Of Giants
7	00 The Ed Sullivan Show	00 Bill Cosby	00 FBI
8	00 The Leslie Uggams Show	00 Bonanza	00 Sunday Night Movie Second Best Secret Agent
9	00 Mission Impossible	00 The Bold Ones	
10	00 CBS Sun. Night News-Color 15 Sun. Night News & Weather- 30 The Merv Griffin Show-	00 News Picture - 30 Weekend at the Movies "Kiss of Evil" Clifford Evans - Noel	00 Weekend News (C) 15 Sunday Night Movie Price of Fear
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12	10 The Living Prayer		00 Sign Off

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Aides Feel Nixon Erred in Snubbing Peace Marchers

By RAY CROMLEY
NEA Washington Correspondent

WASHINGTON (NEA)

Within the White House staff itself, at the State Department, the U.S. Information Agency and the Pentagon, there are men who disagree strongly with President Nixon's public response to the October and November antiwar demonstrations.

It must be noted that the administration "dissenters" known to this reporter are loyal to the President and believe in his Vietnam policies. But they think Nixon was in error when he so patently snubbed sizable numbers of protesting Americans, however misguided and wrongheaded he may believe them to be.

In what Nixon and his key advisers are convinced is the U.S. interest, the President both in October and November sincerely believed it necessary to make it crystal clear to the people of South Vietnam and the rulers in Hanoi that he would not be pressured into selling out the south and that the demonstrators did not represent the majority in America.

But a firm stand is one thing and seeming rudeness to the views of others is quite another, some administration men say quite vigorously in private talks.

These men do not suggest that Nixon should have dickered with the demonstrators or implied in any way that demonstrations can substitute for deliberation by government or a vote by the people. They do not suggest that he be polite to those who carried Viet Cong flags or shouted Ho Ho Ho Chi Minh, or to those Nazi types who sought violence.

The administration objectors think, rather, that Nixon should have announced in advance that he welcomed expressions for peace, that he, as much as any man, wanted peace, that he had called on the advice of some of the ablest men in the country, that he thought he was on the right path but that if anyone had ideas to offer he would listen. He could have repeated his statement that anything was negotiable except the self-determination and liberty of the South Vietnamese.

As the demonstrations progressed, even though the major parade did not pass the White House, Nixon could have waved out cheerfully toward the line of march blocks away (with all proper security precautions to guard against the 1½ per cent of lunatics among the huge numbers here for the demonstrations).

Nixon could have asked representatives of the marchers to send to his aides alternative concrete proposals on bringing peace which would preserve the freedom and integrity of the South Vietnamese people.

After the parades, Nixon could have repeated that he welcomed and appreciated the peaceful demonstrations. He could have said they would prove to the world that America was united in wanting peace even where there was disagreement on how to achieve it. He could have decried the actions of the violent minority as a betrayal of their fellow marchers.

Nixon could then have stated that he had studied the petitions and statements turned in to him. Assuming that the demonstrators provided no data of significance not already considered by the President and his advisers (and administration men who circulated among the visitors reported they heard no workable alternative plans or proposals), the President could have announced that it still seemed to him that he had no other course to follow than the one he had embarked on but that his "door" would at all times be open for suggestions.

Christmas Material In Library

JACKSON - This is the 15th Christmas season for the Riverside regional library, each year more of our patrons are coming to the library to prepare for a better Christmas

Early in the fall schools, clubs, and churches borrow plays, select program materials and reserve films. Among the most popular Christmas films are: "Christmas through the Ages," "The Night Before Christmas," "Christmas on Grandfather's Farm," "The Littlest Angel," "Story of a Carol: Silent Night," and "Poetry of Christmas."

The resources of the library have grown; there are films, filmstrips and new Christmas records added each year. Christmas Songs in Foreign Languages consists of four filmstrips and records, with carols in French, German, Spanish and Latin. Both traditional and sacred carols are included in the collection.

Two other filmstrips with records are "Let's Keep Christmas" and "The Other Wise Man." The first is based on Dr. Peter Marshall's sermon on the true meaning of Christmas, and the other is the story of the three wise men who traveled from afar to see the Christ child.

Here are a few Christmas books- "A Wreath of Carols", "Augsburg Christmas Book", McGinley - "A Wreath of Christmas Legends", Engle - "Prairie Christmas" "Eleanor Roosevelt's Christmas Book" Lee -- "Complete Book of Entertainments," "Christmas Ideals" magazine, "Christmas Stories that Never Grow Old" Lofts -- "How Far to Bethlehem" Carroll -- "Christmas through the Years 1898--1950" and Lang -- "Two Kinds of Christmas" - collection of classic Christmas messages of all times.

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Looking Back

Meldrum Kit Reaches His Parents

50 years ago
December 5, 1919

The "kit" of Henry Meldrum, who died in France from an accidental wound, has been received by his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Meldrum, of this city.

Again The Standard urges all who have teams to at once get busy hauling wood for fuel as little coal will be available through the winter. What little comes in will be apportioned in small quantities. If any wood can be spared bring it to town and let some family have it at a moderate price.

The high school boys and girls are at sea for a hall to have their basketball games. Plenty of good material is at hand for both girl and boy teams, but no place to practice or play. It may be that the City Hall will be secured, but that is not of the required dimensions which would place a handicap on our boys and girls on a regulation field. Without a doubt an auditorium and gymnasium should be built on the high school grounds that all school plays and games should be staged under the one canvas.

One of our local shippers to the St. Louis market last week shipped a car load of fat hogs for which he received $1,400 less than for a car he shipped in August and the car shipped last week were much better hogs. The thing that hurts worse, is, he had to pay just as much to a Sikeston butcher for a pork roast that he purchased a few days ago as he did during the summer when hogs were the highest.

40 years ago
December 5, 1929

Santa Claus letters. Dear Santa: I am nine years old and love you. I don't want very much for Christmas, for I want you to go see every little boy and girl in the world and make them all happy. I want a sewing machine, a sleeping and crying doll and some fruit candy and nuts. Love, Margaret Jones.

Dear Santa: We are twin brothers and are good boys. We haven't missed Sunday school in three years. We want you to bring us a pair of pants, waists, tinker toys, horns, fiddles, a dump truck and some nuts, candy and fruits for Christmas. We want some marbles too. Be sure and bring two of each thing. We are eight years old and in the third grade. With love, Clifford and Clifton Jones.

30 years ago
December 5, 1939

Mrs. Chester Brown of Charleston was killed Thursday night on Highway 60 a mile west of Charleston, when struck by an automobile as she was walking alone toward Charleston.

Charleston jumped from co-champion to unattached champion of the Southeast Missouri conference in a thrilling battle with Dexter Friday afternoon at the Poplar Bluff stadium, 10-7, staving off a desperate Bearcat bid in the final seconds.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Huiser of Brown Spur are parents of a son born at their home Friday.

Malone Theatre, today, "Our Neighbors, the Carters" with Faye Bantor and Frank Graven. Tomorrow, Claudette Colbert and Henry Fonda in "Drums Along the Mohawk." Rex Theatre, today and tomorrow, "Those High Gray Walls" with Walter Connolly and Iris Meredith.

20 years ago
December 5, 1949

Edwin E. Wright, 25 years old, state patrolman from Steeleville, Mo., was assigned to the Sikeston patrol office and went on duty here Saturday.

Meet Sikeston's Teachers. Miss Georgia Houchins teaches the sixth grade at the Airport School. She has been teaching in Sikeston schools for 14 years, and has taught the second, third, fourth, fifth, sixth and seventh grades and also departmental work. Here in Sikeston she resides at 326 East Kathleen.

Mrs. Charles Hutchason of Tanner was honoree at a dinner at the home of her son- in- law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Bob Darter, Sunday when she observed her 89th birthday.

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STUDENT COUNCIL OFFICERS at Charleston high school include, from left, President Cathy Cook; Vice-President Celestine Williams; Recording Secretary Gloria Butler; Corresponsing Secretary Katherine Herwig; and Treasurer Tony Harvell.

CANALOU NEWS

CANALOU — Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Warren had as Thanksgiving Day guests their son, Ray, and family and their daughter, Mrs. Earl Andrews, and family, all of New Madrid. They also had as guests a friend of Ray Warren, Earnest Beiler of Quency, Ill.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Cude, Angela and Bradley, spent Thanksgiving with relatives in Ark. The Cudes have purchased a house in Morehouse and plan to move before Christmas.

Tom Vickers was stricken by a heart attack recently. He is a patient in the Missouri Delta Community Hospital in Sikeston.

Mrs. Dot Meek is also a patient in the Sikeston hospital where she had surgery.

Mr. and Mrs. Phillip Greer and sons of Fergerson were Thanksgiving guests of her mother, Mrs. Lila Lowe and other relatives. They were accompanied by his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Greer of Mounds City, Ill.

Miss Selma Gruen of East Alton, Ill. spent Thanksgiving with her sister, Mrs. Cora Geske, and other relatives here and in Sikeston.

Miss Emily Shepherd of St. Louis spent the holiday with her mother, Mrs. Dessie Shepherd and with her sister and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Nelson Gruen. The Gruens daughter, Miss Mary Ann who attends college in Kansas City, was also home for the holiday.

Miss Ruth Ann Lumsden, who attends college in Canton, spent Thanksgiving with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Nelson Lumsden.

Mr. and Mrs. Ron Bright of St. Louis spent the holiday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Abernathey.

Miss Reba Jones of New Athens, Ill., visited from Wednesday to Sunday with her mother, Mrs. Elmer Gruen nd husband, and with her sister, Mrs. George Smith, and family in Lilbourn.

Tim Koch, son of Mr. nd Mrs. Marcus Koch, who attends college in Columbia, spent Thanksgiving with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Marcus Koch and Becky. John Koch, who also attends college there, had to work and could not be with his family.

Other college students who were home for the noliday were Linda Cain, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Cain; Mike Geske and Jeannie Geske, son and daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Dale Geske; Cindy Walton, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Willie Walton; and Jim Robinson, son of Mr. and Mrs. Woodie Robinson.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Gruen went to Belleville, Ill. Friday to see their granddaughter, Lisa Jones, in a parade. They were accompanied by Phil Newman of Sikeston. Lisa and her brother, Terry Jones, accompanied them home. Terry visited with his aunt, Mrs. Phillip Newman, and family in Sikeston. Lisa visited her grandparents Saturday and spent Saturday night with her aunt, Mrs. George Smith, and family in Lilbourn. Miss Reba Jones took both children home Sunday. Sandra Smith of Lilbourn also visited her grandparents Saturday.

Jim Ballsrud and a friend, Dean Calensen, both students at the college in Charleston, Ill., spent the holiday with Mr. and Mrs. Dale Geske, Jeannie and Mike.

If You Were the Judge

Salesman Responsible For Damage to Rug

By Jack Strauss, LL.B.

Barney sold a rug cleaning compound door to door and found that making sales was like pulling teeth. So, like a dentist, he gave his customers a lot of gas. He told them about the miraculous cleaning powers of his compound and then requested permission to demonstrate. Housewife Edna made the mistake of giving her consent.

Dumping cigarette butts onto Edna's rug as well as some stale beer, left-over dog food and a mishmash of other undelectable items, Barney proceeded with the demonstration. When he finished, the only thing that had disappeared was the smile on his face. As for the rug, it was one big globby mess.

Throwing Barney out of her house, Edna sued him for destroying her property.

"He was as cuckoo as a pigeon," she complained in court. "He came into my house and submerged my rug under a pile of garbage."

"I don't understand it," was Barney's answer. "My cleaning compound always worked before. Besides, Edna consented to the demonstration. Consequently, if it didn't work, she can't sue me, as she consented to it."

IF YOU WERE THE JUDGE, would you permit Edna to collect for the demise of her rug?

This is how the judge ruled: YES! The judge held that when a salesman negligently spoils a rug while demonstrating a cleaning compound, he's responsible for the damages caused, regardless of the consent of the owner to the demonstration.

(Based upon a 1964 North Carolina Supreme Court Decision)

Doctors Called Poorly Trained In Sex Problems

DENVER, Colo. (AP) — It is a myth that the average physician is well trained to deal with his patients' sexual problems, a Texas psycholigist says.

Dr. James Leslie McCary, professor of psychology at the University of Houston, spoke Wednesday about sex myths and fallacies to doctors attending the American Medical Association's clinical convention.

"It is a sad and unfortunate truth that except for adequate knowledge of reproductive processes, physicians as a group are grievously ignorant and actually rather prudish in matters of sexuality," he said.

Another fallacy, he said, is that sex desire and ability decrease markedly after age 40 to 50.

Sexual intercourse among the married elderly "occurs considerably more frequently than is commonly realized," he said.

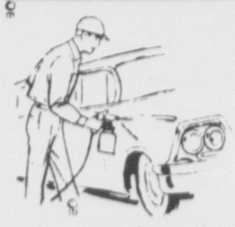
He said a statistical study showed: "Seven out of 10 healthy married couples who are 60 years of age or older are sexually active, and the consistent clinical observation is that of both men and women, the ones with the strongest sex drive during youth retain the greatest sex drive and virility in old age."

Another myth, Dr. McCary said, is that persons who commit sex crimes are highly dangerous, oversexed and usually get involved in progressively more serious crimes.

The sex offender "is rarely involved in nonsexual crimes," he said, adding that "only a small percentage use force or duress on their victims."

"Homicide seldom occurs in conjunction with sexual offenses," he said. "When homicide does occur in sex crimes, the offender is usually insane as well as sexually deviated."

The typical sex offender is undersexed rather than oversexed, Dr. McCary said, and is likely to be afraid of normal sexual contact.

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The Prayer *from The Upper Room*

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PRAYER: We thank You, our heavenly Father, that though we be but empty clay pots, You can fill us and use us to Your glory in the building of Your Kingdom. For Jesus' sake. Amen.

First Tax Forms Will Go to Farmers And Fishermen

ST. LOUIS — About three million 1969 Federal Income Tax Forms for America's farmers and fishermen will be sent to them about the first week in December, a month earlier than usual, the Internal Revenue Service announced today. All other taxpayers will receive their packages about Jan. 1.

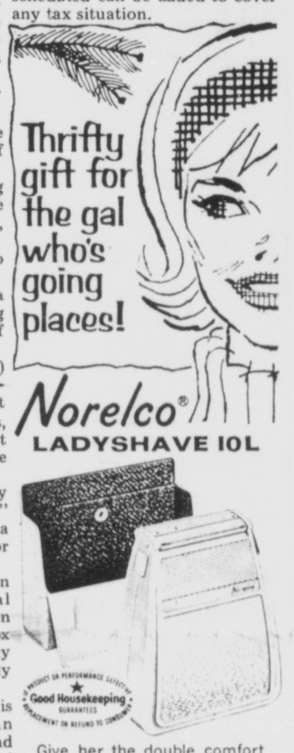
A first for Internal Revenue, the early mailing is an attempt to assist the farmers and fishermen in taking advantage of options open to them in filing returns and paying their tax, IRS officials said.

Estimated tax forms, in a separate package, will reach farmers and fishermen about the same date. In previous years, the estimated tax forms were included in the income tax packages.

Farmers and fishermen have a choice of filing dates: they may elect to file and pay in full an estimated tax declaration by January 15, 1970, and file an income tax return by the April 15 deadline; or they may elect to file only an income tax return by February 16 and pay the tax due with the return.

Like the other 77 million taxpayers expected to file tax returns for 1969, farmers and fishermen will be using the new income tax form 1040.

The form, which replaces both the old form 1040 and the 1040A, is a one- page, basic form to which separate scheduled can be added to cover any tax situation.



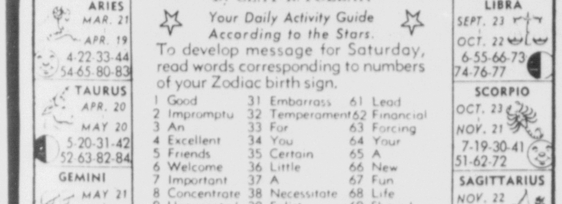
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Today In U.S. History

By THE ASSOCIATED PRESS

Today is Friday, December 5, the 339th day of 1969. There are 26 days left in the year.

Today's highlight in history:

On this date in 1933, 13 years of prohibition ended in the United States as Utah became the 36th state to ratify the 21st Amendment repealing the 18th Amendment to the Constitution.

On this date:

In 1776, the first scholastic fraternity in the U.S., Phi Beta Kappa, was organized at the college of William and Mary in Williamsburg, Va.

In 1782, the eighth American president, Martin Van Buren, was born in Kinderhook, N.Y.

In 1848, President James Polk announced the discovery of gold in California, paving the way for the gold rush of '49.

In 1941, Britain declared war on Finland, Rumania and Hungary.

In 1934, 66 persons were executed in Russia after being charged with plotting against the regime of Joseph Stalin.

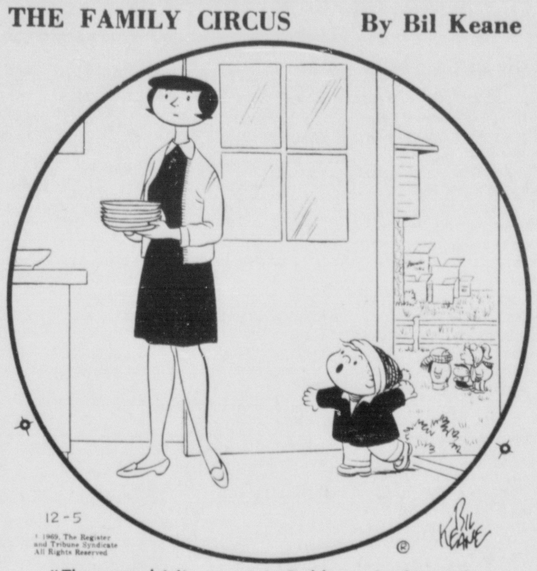
In 1943, Japanese warplanes made their first daylight attack on Calcutta, India during the Pacific war.

Ten years ago — Guatemala accused Cuba of helping Communist groups prepare an armed invasion of Guatemala.

Five years ago — Pope Paul VI returned to Rome after a triumphant visit to India.

One year ago — A 24-hour strike by workers and students paralyzed Rome.

THE FAMILY CIRCUS By Bil Keane



"The new kid's name is Bobby. Is that a boy or a girl?"

CARNIVAL By Dick Turner



"Gee, whiz, Mom, you told Mrs. Willis yourself that it takes a pot of coffee to really wake him up!"

TIZZY by Kate Osann



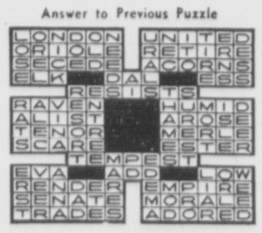
"There's really no point in my learning to cook—I'm already a whiz at defrosting!"

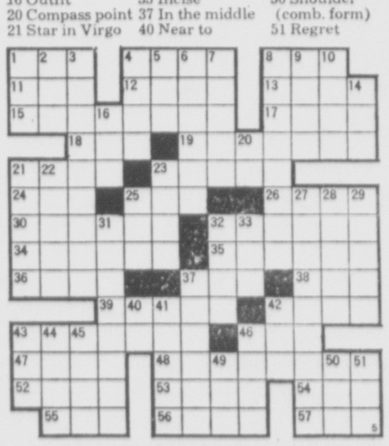
Election Day

ACROSS
1 —— menace
4 —— right!
8 —— and Order issue
11 Egg (comb. form)
12 Leave out
13 Concerning (Latin)
15 Conservative ——
17 Let it stand
18 Strike
19 Lyrical fixed form
21 Aperture
23 Thickened soup
24 Place
25 Dessert
26 Egyptian river
30 Muscle sugar (var.)
32 Picturesque
34 ——unrest
35 Of the papal government
36 Caucasian (var.)
37 Entangle
38 Musical syllable
39 Entitler
42 Register of candidates
43 Expected
46 Ocean
47 Facts
47 One in supreme authority
52 Assert
53 Hawaiian island
54 Australian bird
55 Terminal
56 Dressed
57 Female deer

DOWN
1 Defraud
2 Feminine appellation
3 Division
4 Electrical unit
5 Medical morbid affection (suffix)
6 Fine gauze
7 Anesthetic
8 Hearer
9 Opposed (coll.)
10 Bird
14 Greek letter
16 Outfit
20 Compass point
21 Star in Virgo
22 Of the moon
23 Pegs
25 More (music)
27 Began
28 Fibbers
29 Ostentation
31 Man from Madrid
32 Cicatrix
33 Incise
37 In the middle
40 Near to
41 A French wine
42 Meadow
43 Feminine name
44 Ocean swell
45 Solar disk
46 Collar fastener
49 Rolled tea
50 Shoulder (comb. form)
51 Regret

Answer to Previous Puzzle





STAR GAZER

By CLAY R. POLLAN

Your Daily Activity Guide According to the Stars.

To develop message for Saturday, read words corresponding to numbers of your Zodiac birth sign.

1 Good	31 Embarrass	61 Lead
2 Impromptu	32 Temperament	62 Financial
3 An	33 For	63 Forcing
4 Excellent	34 You	64 Your
5 Friends	35 Certain	65 A
6 Welcome	36 Little	66 New
7 Important	37 A	67 Fun
8 Concentrate	38 Necessitate	68 Life
9 Unexpected	39 Enlist	69 Shared
10 A	40 Could	70 Hurried
11 If	41 That	71 To
12 Social	42 You	72 Meaning
13 Amusements	43 Could	73 Acquaintance
14 Fortune	44 Taking	74 You
15 You've	45 To	75 Undoing
16 Emergency	46 Can	76 Might
17 On	47 Unless	77 Meet
18 Angry	48 "Boobox"	78 Journey
19 News	49 A	79 Serious
20 May	50 Aid	80 Serious
21 Nasty	51 Has	81 Money-wise
22 Time	52 By	82 Unwanted
23 Day	53 Be	83 Interest
24 Are	54 Up	84 Hospitality
25 Means	55 Any	85 Trouble
26 Made	56 Be	86 People
27 Might	57 Be	87 Blame
28 Finances	58 It's	88 Of
29 Flareup	59 Don't	89 Others
30 Develops	60 Of	90 Party

ARIES MAR. 21 – APR. 19: 4-22-33-44 54-65-80-83
TAURUS APR. 20 – MAY 20: 5-20-31-42 52-63-82-84
GEMINI MAY 21 – JUNE 20: 9-16-27-38 49-70-78
CANCER JUNE 21 – JULY 22: 2-13-24-35 45-56-67
LEO JULY 23 – AUG. 22: 10-21-32-43 53-64-75
VIRGO AUG. 23 – SEPT. 22: 11-15-26-37 48-59-87-89
LIBRA SEPT. 23 – OCT. 22: 6-55-66-73 74-76-77
SCORPIO OCT. 23 – NOV. 21: 7-19-30-41 51-62-72
SAGITTARIUS NOV. 22 – DEC. 21: 1-14-25-36 47-58-69
CAPRICORN DEC. 22 – JAN. 19: 3-18-29-40 61-71-79-85
AQUARIUS JAN. 20 – FEB. 18: 8-17-28-39 50-60-81-86
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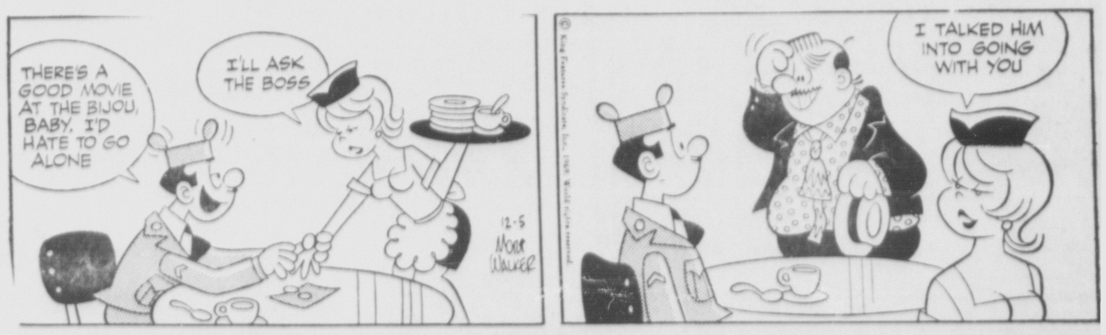


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House Bid for Social Security Hike Advances

WASHINGTON (AP) — The House Ways and Means Committee voted unanimously Wednesday to ask a 15 per cent across-the-board increase in Social Security benefits effective Jan. 1.

Announcing the decision, Chairman Wilbur D. Mills, D-Ark., said "I hope we will be able to pass the bill through the House in the next few days."

He left open the question whether the Senate could complete action before Congress goes home for Christmas.

Mills said that while the higher payments would be effective from the beginning of next year, Social Security beneficiaries would not actually receive the increased sums until April 1.

The Social Security Administration, he said, advised that it would take this long to revise the check issuing machinery. The check for March, received early in April, would reflect one month's increase and a separate check would be issued at the same time to cover the retroactive increase.

The committee-approved proposal means that the average payment under social security, now in the neighborhood of $100, would go up to $115.

Mills said the committee will defer action until next year on President Nixon's proposals for revising the welfare system.

Benefit Movie For Needy

PORTAGEVILLE — Cans of food donated for admission to a comedy movie at 2:30 p.m. Saturday at the Shannon theatre will fill Christmas baskets for the needy.

The Kiwanis club is sponsor of the annual Christmas basket project. At least one can of food is required for admission.

Armstrong Appointed Peace Corps Advisory Council Chairman

WASHINGTON (AP) — Neil A. Armstrong has been appointed chairman of the Peace Corps Advisory Council by President Nixon.

Armstrong, the first man on the moon, will remain in the space program. The 39-year-old civilian astronaut who commanded the Apollo 11 mission will receive no more than $1,000 a year in expenses for his council dates.

The post, held by Vice President Hubert H. Humphrey in the Johnson administration, has been vacant since the Nixon administration took office.



SENIOR CLASS OFFICERS of Charleston high school are, from left, President Richard Logan, Vice-President Kathy DeLaney and Secretary and Treasurer Judith DeLine.

Drug Traffic in Missouri Dwarfs Prevention Tools

Second of two-part series
By JACK STAPLETON JR.
The Daily Dunklin Democrat
Written for Associated Press

KENNETT, Mo. (AP)—While the occasional drug user on a Missouri college campus may never or very rarely repeat the experience, the habitual user jeopardizes his entire scholastic career and even his later vocational life.

"An unknown number of college dropouts have undoubtedly achieved this status as a consequence of their drug abuse," says Dr. Ray Knowles, director of the Missouri Division of Mental Health narcotics section.

Treatment techniques for young drug abusers are not always successful, menal health officials warn, citing a need for further research into the causes of the condition. Patients are seldom motivated to accept treatment and most of Missouri's drug addiction among the preadult population have been called to the state's attention through law enforcement agencies and juvenile courts.

Dr. Knowles says present arrest rates in the illicit drug traffic constitute a bare "iceberg" of the problem now facing Missouri.

Except for isolated cases among physicians, their families and residents of metropolitan ghetto areas, drug abuse had never been visualized as a major health problem in Missouri. All of this is changing as commerce in drugs and narcotics increases.

Neither Dr. Knowles nor his immediate superior, Mental Health Director Dr. George Ulett, is optimistic about the future of drug dependency in Missouri. Although the state has two treatment centers at this moment, the development of additional units was stymied when the legislature failed to appropriate sufficient funds for expansion. Research, both at the state and federal levels, can be classified as both inadequate and too often neglected. As for prevention, Dr. Knowles says "There is little doubt that insufficient effort is being mounted in prevention, where our tools are admittedly primitive."

Education should avoid scare tactics, he believes, and should simply present the facts of drug addition. "Anyone can draw his own conclusions since the facts do speak for themselves and clearly point to inherent dangers," Dr. Knowles says.

"It must be faced, too, that in a drug-oriented society such as ours, there will always be the expectation that relief from stress should be provided through medication and this expectation is a determining factor in the emergence of the drug-dependent state."

Dr. Knowles denies that society has a right to expand or distort consciousness for he, perhaps more than any other Missourian, has seen what happens when the right is abused.

What is being done in the field? To the best of its fiscal limitations, the Division of Mental Health has undertaken treatment services and, to a lesser extent, public education. In the area of enforcement, the concern is almost as limited—with only a handful of federal narcotics agents and local police department specialists assigned to this specific task.

Enforcement of state and federal laws governing possession and sale of illicit drugs falls on 30 agents of the Department of Justice's Narcotics and Dangerous Drugs bureaus in St. Louis and Kansas City and the handful of local police departments in the state that have established special narcotics sections.

An official of the federal narcotics bureau says enforcement has become such a problem that agents are only assigned to larger suppliers or "bureaucratic agents", the term for those whose livelihood depends upon the sale of addicting drugs.

One recent case occupying the attention of federal agents occurred in the small town of Corder, Mo., population 650, where a group of Californians had established a laboratory and was preparing to produce 50 pounds of Speed a week. The manufactuers were rubbing their hands in anticipation of profit their operation would bring—the market is so good in Missouri that some dealers are willing to pay as much as $2,000 a pound for the powdered product.

Few businessmen would sneeze at a weekly gross profit of $100,000. Federal agents were able to stop this illegal enterprise just before it started turning out its production of addiction, heartbreak and death.

Such is not always the case, federal agents warn, and manufacturers and "bureaucratic agents" abound in much greater abundance than is recognized by the general public.

Justice Department officials have been quoted as saying that one of the principal sources of illegal narcotics and drugs in Missouri is the Mafia, the littleknown fraternity of gangsters said to operate branches in Kansas City and St. Louis.

Long blamed as the source of some narcotics, the Mafia in Missouri has concentrated more and more on large quantities of drugs, leaving petty details of distribution at street corners to others. Justice officials explain this reluctance to the greater danger of being caught as a street distributor and because some of the Mafioso are convinced that narcotics distribution is bad for their organization's image.

Traffic in amphetamines takes two avenues: diversion of legitimate sources and manufacture of Speed, most often in powder form, in clandestine laboratories, both in and outside the state.

Growing distribution of illegal drugs has become more and more the responsibility of federal and local law enforcement officials, while the state government has virtually ignored the problem despite proposals from some newspapers that it establish a bureau of investigation to deal with what has been called the "menace to Missouri" — drugs and narcotics.

OBITUARIES

FRANCIS SEEBURGER

DEXTER - Francis Henry (Frank) Seeburger, 61, died today at the Mt. Vernon Hospital.

He was born near Dexter on Dec. 12, 1907.

Survivors include his wife, Pansy, and daughter, Frances, both of Dexter; and two sisters, Mrs. Richard Ester Boyer and Miss Margaret Seeburger, both of Dexter.

His body will be returned to Watkins and Sons Funeral Chapel.

JOSIE CARNELL

MOREHOUSE - Mrs. Josie E. Cornell, 86, died Thursday morning.

Friends may call at the residence until services at 1 p.m. Saturday in the United Pentecostal church with the pastor, the Rev. Nanthanel Lewis, officiating. Burial will be in Triplett cemetery near Essex.

Pallbearers will be Woodrow Bolin, John Vaughn, Chester Shirkey, Don Vandermark, Thomas ALfort and Gerald Gargus. Jackson Funeral Home will be in charge.

JAMES SARTIN

James P. Sartin, 824 Matthews, 70, died Thursday at Shuffits Nursing Home 3.

He was born in Sylemore, Ark. on Dec. 30, 1898.

Survivors include three sons, Jimmie of Sikeston, Dalton of Ana, Ill., and Otis Sartin of Miami; two daughters, Mrs. George Armstrong and Mrs. James Marcy Jr., both of Portland; one brother, W. R. Sartin of Lanagon; two sisters, Mrs. Betty Vanagter of Truman, Ark., and Mrs. Laura Ward of Mountain Home, Ark.; 19 grandchildren and two great grandchildren.

Friends may call at the Jackson Funeral Home until services at 10 a.m. Saturday in the Jackson Chapel with Rev. John Cullins officiating.

Burial will be in the Carpenter cemetery near McMullin.

Grain Market

CHICAGO (AP) — Soybeans and grain futures prices were irregular in early dealings on the Chicago Board of Trade Friday.

On the opening, wheat was 1/8 cent a bushel lower to 1/8 higher, January 1.42½; corn was 1/8 lower to ¼ higher, December 1.18¾; oats were unchanged to ¼ lower, December 57½ cents; rye was 1/8 to ¼ higher, December 1.10¼ and soybeans were unchanged to 3/8 lower, January 2.43¾.

Five Most Active Stocks

The Dow- Jones Industrials at noon were up .86 on volume of 5,840,000 shares.

Texico	29	+ 1/4
Midland Ross	23 5/8	— 5/8
Gulf Oil	29	+ 1/4
Int. T & T	56 7/8	+ 1/4
Texas Util.	53 5/8	+ 1/4

STOCKS OF LOCAL INTEREST

Keystone	10 1/8
AT & T	51
Evans Prod.	43 ½
Anheuser Busch	72¼ bid
ARk- Mo Power	13 3/8
Banff Oil	10
Chrysler	35½
Ford	41 3/8
Gen. Motors	70½
Mid-Amer. Great Plains	4 bid
But. Nat.	16¾ bid
Perini	8 1/8 bid
Transamerica	26 5/8
Transogram	13 1/8
Zapata Norness	33 5/8

These prices were provided at approximately 12 Noon today by Merrill Lynch, Pierce, Fenner & Smith, 515 Olive St., St. Louis, Mo. You can call TOLL-FREE for quotes or other information by dialing 1-800-392-3430.

Livestock

NATIONAL STOCKYARDS, Ill. (AP) — Estimates for Monday: Hogs 8,000; cattle 1,000; calves 100; sheep 700.

Hogs 5,500; barrows and gilts U.S. 1-3 210-230 lb 27.00-27.50; 230- 250 lb 26.75- 27.25; U.S. 2-4 240- 250 lb. 26.00-26.75; U.S. 3-4 260- 280 lb 25.00- 26.00; 280-325 lb 24.00-25.00; U.s. 1-2 170-180 lb 25.50.

Cattle 300; calves 50; slaughter steers, couple lots, good, 900- 1,050 lbs 27.00-27.50; slaughter heifers, load mixed good and choice near 900 lbs 27.00.

Sheep 50, not enough to test prices.

If a starfish is turned over, it rights itself by bending its stiff arms and pulling with its tube feet.

Local Stocks

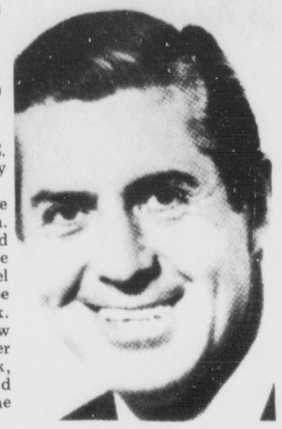
	BID	ASK
1st Nat. Bk. of Sik.	6	7
Anheuser Busch	72¼	72¾
Ark Mo Power	13½	13¾
Calverts	6	6½
Clinton Oil	8½	8½
Frontier Tower	2	2½
Hamilton Cosco	14½	
Olson Bros.	3¼	3½
Malone & Hyde	21	21¾
Mo Beef Packers	28½	
No Amer. Comm.	13¼	14
Pabst Brewing	45	45½
Mid Amer Great Plains	3½	4½
Wetterau	24½	25¼

LISTED STOCKS

Airlift Int.	30¾
Allied Stores	30¾
Amer Tel & Tel	50¾
Chrysler	36
Columbia Gas	25¾
Eaton Mfg.	40¾
Ford Motors	41¾
New Eng. Elec.	21½
Transogram	12¾

EDITORS NOTE: The bid price is the approximate price if one were a seller.

Quotations furnished by Hugh T. McCollum registered representative for Fusz Schmelzle and Co. 1405 East Malone. Phone 471-5350.



Alvin F. Lindsay

Lindsay President Of Firm

Roure- Dupont, Inc. of New York City, a chemical manufacturer, announces the appointment of Alvin F. Lindsay as president and chief executive.

Lindsay, a former resident of Sikeston, is the son of Mrs. A. F. Lindsay, 535 North Ranney. He was an employe of International Fragrances and Flavors 22 years, serving as vice president before going to his new position.

Lindsay studied in the Sikeston public schools, and attended the University of Missouri at Columbia and Columbia University of New York City. His wife is a native of New York.

Two Breakins

DEXTER - Two break-ins were reported in Dexter Sunday night.

Police reported that Payne's Shoe Store and Monarch Real Estate and Insurance offices were broken into sometime Sunday.

As of Monday morning, owners of both firms reported they were still unable to determine how much was missing.

Hospital Expansion Loses for Third Time

COLUMBIA, Mo. (AP) — A multimillion dollar expansion of the Boone County Hospital in Columbia failed to carry a twothirds majority in a special bond election Tuesday.

It was the third failure for the issue in the last 13 months. The vote on the $7.8 million project was 7,514 yes, 4,029 against. All of the votes have been favorable, barely lacking the necessary two-thirds majority.

Dear Santa

Dear Santa,
My name is Stevie Bass and I've been a pretty good boy this year. For Christmas I would like a guitar, Hot Wheels set, and a big fire engine. Please remember all the other little children.
Love,
Stevie
P.S. I'll leave some cookies on the table for you.

Dear Santa,
My name is Stephanie Gae Carter and I'll be two years old this month. I've been pretty good this year and for Christmas I'd like a little bicycle, a doll baby, some dishes, and some cowboy boots. Don't forget Aunt Cindy and Uncle Stevie.
Love,
Stephanie
P.S. I'll leave some milk and cookies on the table for you.

Dear Santa,
I am 10 years old. I have two brothers Kevin and Kenny. Kevin is 7 and Kenny is 4. I would like to have a Twist and turn Barbie. Kevin would like to have Barrel of Monkeys and a rifle. Kenny would like to have a stuffed animal and a truck.
Thank you,
Love Donna,
Kevin, and Kenny
321 Lillian
Sikeston, Mo. 63801
P.S. There will be milk and Brownies on the coffee table.

Dear Santa,
I think I've been a pretty good girl this year. Would you please bring me a Dancerina, a pants suit, a set of dishes, and anything else you would like me to have.
I love you,
Robin Dawn Hoad
Rt. 4, Box 155-I
Sikeston, Mo.

Dear Santa,
For Christmas I would like a swinging doll, a bicycle, a fur coat, nd a record player. I am looking forward to seeing you this Christmas. I hope to leave you some cookies and milk on the table.
Your old friend
Donna Burns
P. O. Box 196
Matthews, Mo. 63867

Dear Santa,
For Christmas I would like a cowboy suit, a bicycle cars, trucks, a coat, and lots of other things. I hope to leave you some cake and milk on the table.
Your old friend,
Stanley Burns
P. O. Box 176
Matthews, Mo. 63867

Dear Santa,
My name is Bobby. I have been very good this year and am looking forward toward Christmas.
This year I'd like to have a Major Mat Mason set, a View-Master Disney Theatre, and a Booby Trap game. Also please send me a bigger tricycle because I outgrew my old one. I'm a big boy now.
Love,
Bob Kelso
Portageville, Mo.

Dear Santa,
My name is Thomas Crenshaw. I live at Morehouse with my two brothers and one sister. I am 7 years old and I am in the first grade. For Christmas I would like a toy car that runs by itself, and the lights work, also a game with cards, and a toy rifle, and last of all a pair of cowboy guns.
Love you always
Thomas Crenshaw

American Indians

It has been estimated there were 1,115,500 Indians living in North America at the time the New World was discovered. The 1969 census showed the Indian population of the United States to be 523,591.

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